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# A NEW TRIAL FOR DREYFUS

## French Cabinet Grants a Revision of the Case.

### France Is Threatened With a Foreign War as a Result of the Revelations.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—A special dispatch to the Evening Standard from Paris, published this afternoon, says the French Cabinet has decided on a revision of the Dreyfus case.

HOSTILE PRESS GIVES IN.

PARIS, Sept. 2.—The movement in favor of a revision of the Dreyfus case is growing stronger in the papers which until now have been hostile to the prisoner of Devil's Island. The Matin to-day says:

"The absence of M. Bourgeois, Minister of Education, prevented the Ministers from coming to a decision yesterday, and a meeting of the Council will be held to-day."

General Pellieux has tendered his resignation, but it was withdrawn on the insistence of General Zurlinden.

FRENCH FEELING REVERSED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Paris says:

Colonel Henry's confession of forging the famous document, upon the authenticity of which General de Boisdeffre, Chief of Staff of the French army, in his impassioned appeal to the jury in the Zola trial, staked his own reputation and the honor of the army, and Colonel Henry's suicide in the fortress of Mont Valerien have caused an emotion throughout France which has not been witnessed since the fall of Sedan.

Colonel Henry, a peasant's son, promoted from the ranks and imbued with all the instincts and low, cunning and narrow personal animosity often characteristic of French peasants, had no conception of the enormity of his crime until overwhelmed by its detection. This brave but infatuated Chief of the Intelligence Department of the French army embodied the whole head and front of Dreyfus' conviction, of Zola's condemnation, of Esterhazy's acquittal, and of Picquart's degradation and imprisonment.

Although the document which Colonel Henry forged in 1896, cannot technically have any effect on the Dreyfus trial, which took place in 1894, it is nevertheless with consternation that today people are asking what sort of evidence could Dreyfus have been convicted on, if, in the judgment of Colonel Henry, it was so flimsy that he thought it could not stand investigation without being propped up by official forgery.

M. Cavaignac, the Minister of War, in his memorable speech in the Chamber on July 7th based his declaration upon the authenticity of this formal document, which was printed and posted on the walls throughout France.

After conversing with representative Frenchmen of every class and after mixing with excited groups in the streets and cafes, it is evident that the popular tide is at last turning in favor of a revision of the Dreyfus trial, no matter what the consequences may be. It is significant that such newspapers as the Gaulois, the Echo de Paris and journals which are known to be in close touch with the army now declare that the feeling of military men is out and out for revision of the court-martial, and that many prominent officers insist that it is the honor of the army itself which necessitates such revision.

General de Boisdeffre, whose monstrous threat to resign with the whole general staff of the army if Zola was acquitted, frightened the nation, has now, by his resignation, admitted that he was the blind dupe of a forger.

This inspires grave anxiety as to whether or not the general staff has been duped in other matters—that of national defense, for instance. Henri Rochefort, who still champions the validity of Dreyfus' condemnation, is authority for the statement that all the officers of the French general staff employed in Paris have applied to be relieved of their present duties and sent back to their respective regiments.

The Minister of War is conscientiously subjecting all documtntary evidence used in the Dreyfus and Zola trials to expert tests to ascertain whether any more forgeries exist. There is every indication that the army and people now demand that the prisoner on Devil's Island shall have a new and fair trial, but this cannot take place for many months.

Although firm confidence in the sincerity and good faith of the Minister of War is expressed on all sides, there is much comment on the fact that ex-Colonel Picquart is apparently the only person in France who was not completely astonished at the news of Henry's confession and suicide. When the news was communicatd to him in his cell at La Sante prison this morning Picquart listened without manifesting the least surprise and exclaimed: "The poor, unfortunate devil. What a terrible and heartrending blow to his young wife and little son."

It was announced this afternoon by the Patria that several officers of the general staff have decided to resign shortly and divulge all they know of the entire Dreyfus affair.

One officer declares that war will inevitably follow as a result of the revelations which will be made regarding the machinations of another government.

# HANNA STANDS BY THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

## Suffering of Soldiers Due to Volunteer Officers.

### He Says There Has Been No Sickness Among the Regulars.

### THE CAMPS WERE WELL CHOSEN.

### Herculean Task Accomplished by the Administration Since the War Began.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 2.—Senator M. A. Hanna has returned to Cleveland after a month's outing in the Yellowstone Park and the Northwest. In the course of an interview concerning the reported sufferings in the army camps, Mr. Hanna said:

"I do not care to place the blame for the conditions upon any one. I will say, however, that the Governors of the different States appointed the volunteer officers, and we find that the illness among the troops comes from the volunteer ranks.

"The place for the location of the camps was selected because of their availability and the general climatic conditions.

"Regular troops have been camped by the side of the volunteers and no sickness among them.

"I do not wonder that the death rate has been high in some instances. Several times I visited Camp Alger and looked carefully over the place.

"At the edge of the camp I found banana stands and places where beer and pop and such stuff were sold to the troops. This kind of stuff never helped the volunteers.

"Look at the task which has been performed by the administration. At the outbreak of the war there was provision but for 25,000 men. I am acquainted personally with the heads of the War Department, and I am positive they worked from sixteen to eighteen hours each day to equip and arm this great army of 275,000 men.

"The whole affair seems marvelous to me, and could not have been accomplished by any other nation in the world. The War Department had a most stupendous task before it, and it was equal to the emergency."

# NEW DEAL IN EUROPE.

## England and Germany Form an Offensive and Defensive Alliance.

### The Kaiser Gets Syria and the British a Free Hand in Egypt.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—A report was current today here that a treaty of alliance between Great Britain and Germany, on the lines of the speech of Mr. Chamberlain, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, was actually accepted yesterday. This is probably an amplification of the gossip relative to the daily visits of Count Von Hatzfeldt-Weldenburg, the German Embassador, to the British Foreign Office, during the past fortnight, which have been attributed to a decree on the part of Germany and Great Britain to formulate a common policy in regard to Russia and China.

Another explanation of the German Embassador's visits to the Foreign Office here is that they relate to the mixed tribunals of Egypt, the international agreement on the subject ending in February. Through French and Russian influence, the court has always hampered the British plans for the use of Egyptian savings and the advancement of Egypt. Now it is said an agreement has been almost reached by which Germany will support the British views relative to the future composition and powers of the mixed tribunals.

It is said that as a quid pro quo for the army's support in Egypt, Great Britain will recognize Germany's claim to utilize Syria as an outlet for her surplus population.

Syria is a division of Asiatic Turkey, which includes Palestine, estimated to cover an area of about 146,000 square miles. It has a population of about 2,750,000, mostly Mohammedans, but including about 350,000 Greek Christians, 260,000 Maronites and Roman Catholics, 175,000 Jews and 48,000 Druses.

Emperor William of Germany has for some time past been planning a trip to Palestine, and he is expected to visit Jerusalem this fall in order to dedicate the German church there and lay the corner stone of the German school, parsonage and hospital. His majesty has also undertaken to regain from the Catholics possession of Coenacalum, the "Chamber of the Last Supper," and the Sultan of Turkey is said to have intimated his willingness to meet the wish of the Emperor.

The Pall Mall Gazette says that it has received from a source in which it has every confidence, information that the Anglo-German agreement was signed this week by Mr. Balfour and the German Embassador in behalf of the respective powers.

Continuing, the Pall Mall Gazette says that while the agreement is restricted, it embraces an offensive and defensive alliance in certain eventualities.

The paper adds: "This new and momentous departure in our foreign policy comes as a natural development of the European situation."

The Pall Mall Gazette then quotes the speech of Mr. Chamberlain made at Birmingham on May 13th last, bidding for a German alliance, and continues:

"Latterly it has been evident, from the tone of the semi-official German press, that the two governments have been drawing closer and finally there were prolonged conferences between Count Hatzfeldt and Mr. Balfour. The departure of Count Hatzfeldt proves that the objects of the consultations have been achieved. Besides, Mr. Chamberlain has gone to America, Lord Salisbury is prolonging his absence and Mr. Balfour leaves for his holidays on Saturday. Evidently the ministers do not expect to have to deal with crucial questions of foreign policy."

Mr. Balfour, when questioned on this subject this afternoon, absolutely declined to discuss the reports in circulation regarding an Anglo-German alliance.

Count Von Hatzfeldt, who was believed to have left London, was again at the Foreign Office this afternoon.

It is reported on the Stock Exchange that an Anglo-German alliance or understanding related to the British purchase of Delagoa bay, with Germany assenting. As a result Kaffir and Portuguese securities are booming.

# CALIFORNIA BOYS MUSTERED OUT.

## Sixth and Seventh Regiments Ordered to Return to Their Homes.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—The following California regiments have been ordered mustered out: Sixth California Volunteer Infantry now at San Francisco to be mustered out at same place.

Seventh California Volunteer Infantry, now at San Francisco, to be mustered out at their armory, Los Angeles.

# GENERAL BROOKE SUCCEEDS MILES.

## Now in Command in Porto Rico and Marches on San Juan Tomorrow.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

GUAYAMA, Porto Rico, Sept. 1 (delayed in transmission)—Upon General Miles' departure today General Brooke issued an order assuming command of the troops in this island.

The bridges along the military road are being repaired, and General Brooke will start northward on Saturday morning. The march to San Juan will consume four days. The General expects to establish his headquarters at Rio Piedras, outside the city, owing to the crowded condition of San Juan, which is filled with Spanish troops.

General Brooke will retain active command over the troops left on this side of the island.

Colonel Glassford assumes charge of the telegraphic system, with two companies of the Signal Corps.

# SACRAMENTO MAN HANGS HIMSELF.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 2.—A man named Tom Kenney was found dead to-day in the rear of a house in the alley between Third and Fourth streets and L and M streets. The indications were that the man had strangled himself with a pair of suspenders, and that he had been dead three or four days. The theory is that Kenney committed suicide.

### Austrian Reichsrath.

VIENNA, Sept. 2.—An imperial decree has been issued summoning the Reichsrath to meet on September 26th.

# SITUATION AT THE PANA MINES.

## The Operators Refuse to Confer With the Strikers.

PANA, Ills., Sept. 2.—It was reported that a conference between the operators and the miners would be held to-day, but David Ross, Secretary of the State Labor Bureau, announces that the operators have refused to confer. Operator Overholt of the Springside mine denies that he promised a conference.

# PHILIPPINE REBELS STILL BELLIGERENT.

## Capture Two Spanish Islands and Much Treasure.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MANILA, P. I., Sept. 2.—Several ship loads of insurgents have invaded the southern islands with the view of seizing everything possible prior to the settlement of the peace conditions.

General Rios, the Spanish commander, with a flotilla of gunboats, is acting energetically, but the insurgents have captured the outlying islands of Romblon and Palawan, where they found treasure to the amount of $42,000. The prisoners captured have arrived here.

Delegates from the Hong Kong insurgent junta are to have an interview with United States Consul Wildman tonight, and it is thought this possibly may result in a settlement of the insurgent question.

# CAPT. COTTON TO COMMAND AT MARE ISLAND.

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Acting Secretary Allen today assigned Captain C. S. Cotton to duty as Captain of the Mare Island Navy Yard, in the place of Commander Brice, retired, who has been serving not only as Captain of the yard, but as acting Commandant since the death of Admiral Kirkland.

Captain Cotton is at present in command of the auxiliary vessel Harvard, and has been detached with the privilege of a short leave at home before assuming his new duties.

It is expected that within a few days an Admiral will be assigned to command the Mare Island Yard.

### Young Men's Meetings.

The Young Men's Republican League will hold its first September meeting at its hall this evening. A number of prominent speakers have agreed to be present and address the meeting, and a very interesting programme is assured. The Young Men's Republican League Quartette will render some of their original pieces.

# PRESIDENT OF MORMON CHURCH PASSES AWAY.

## Wilfred Woodruff Dies in San Francisco This Morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Wilfred Woodruff, President of the Mormon Church, died at the residence of Colonel Isaac Trumbo here this morning at 6:40 o'clock, aged 91 years.

He had been troubled with kidney complaint for some time, and came to the Pacific Coast for the improvement of his health about a month ago.

He apparently slept well last night and died this morning without a struggle.

Mr. Woodruff was born at Farmington, Conn., in 1807, and was one of the original 147 pioneers that reached Salt Lake valley in 1847.

He has been President of the church for the last ten years.

*First Pres. Ch., Sat. 4 p. m., 25c.*

# FUSION HOPELESS IN WISCONSIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 2.—The failure of the State Democratic Committee to fuse with the Populists will result in the Populists nominating their ticket with the other State tickets. All hopes for united action between these two parties are now shattered.

# FIRE AT SANTA CRUZ.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., Sept. 2.—At 3 o'clock this morning fire destroyed a half block of wooden buildings owned by the Fair Building Association and occupied by S. Kidd, furniture; C. Gibson, grocer; S. Chandler, blacksmith; G. N. Root, painter. Loss, $6,000; partially insured. The origin of the fire is unknown.

# MURDERER TAKES HIS LIFE IN JAIL.

## Chinese Assassin Escapes Justice by Taking a Dose of Poison.

Chung Yee, the Chinese murderer of his business partner, Chung Sing, made a successful attempt to commit suicide this morning at the county jail.

The Celestial lingered several hours and died at noon, the victim of a deadly dose of opium.

At 8 o'clock this morning the trusty who makes the rounds of the corridors each day, discovered Chung Yee unconscious in his cell. He could not arouse him, and when he noticed the slow respiration and unnatural gasping, became alarmed. Jailer Lane was called at once.

"The case is a mystery to me," said Lane. "It is three weeks since Chung Yee has had a visitor, and no opium was brought in at that time. There are several fiends in the corridors who have begged me for something to make them sleep, and this is strong evidence to me that there was no opium in there until last night."

Quong Mow, the slayer of Deputy Poundmaster Hollenbeck, was Chung Yee's cellmate. Through Charlie Lee, an interpreter, a Tribune representative this morning learned that the dying Chinese has long been despondent.

Chung Yee's crime was a cold-blooded one. He was his partner's creditor for a consideable sum. According to the Chinese custom, he made demand for his money last Chinese New Year without success, and afterward hearing that his partner had employed a highbinder to put him out of the way, made a second demand, which was refused.

A bloody fight ensued. Chung Yee grabbed an ax and split Chung Sing's head. The men were the influential Chinese merchants in this county.

# GERMANY'S MANILA FLEET REDUCED.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, Sept. 2.—A semi-official note issued today says:

A state of peace having been re-established between the United States and Spain, orders have been given that the German naval force at Manila be reduced to one or two ships, which, pending the complete restoration of order in the Philippines, will suffice for the protection of German subjects and interests in that region.

# SPANIARDS REACH HOME.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SANTANDER, Spain, Sept. 2.—The Spanish transport Covadonga, which sailed from Santiago de Cuba on August 18th with 2,148 Spanish soldiers, 109 Spanish officers, 44 women and 45 children, a total of 2,346 passengers, arrived here safely today.

*Miss de Fremery and Miss Little, Sat. 4 p. m., Home Missions, 25c.*

### No Fever at Galveston.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 2.—State Health Officer Blunt has raised the quarantine against Galveston, and the city was never more healthy than at present. The quarantine was but temporary, and was placed last Friday, August 26th, on account of a suspicious case of fever at Fort Point.

# DISCOVERED A PLOT TO MURDER BARON BANFFY.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BUDA-PESTH, Sept. 2.—The newspapers here report the discovery of a plot to murder Baron Banffy, the Hungarian Premier.

# MANY JAMAICANS WANT ANNEXATION.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 2.—The Gleaner today publishes a symposium of the views of the merchants and other public men here on the question of solving the annexation movement by exchanging the British West Indies for the Philippine islands, according to the proposal of Andrew Carnegie. Opinions on the subject are almost balanced, with an adverse tendency.

The Gleaner further suggests that Mr. Carnegie solve the problem by purchasing Jamaica, and thus practically illustrate his "Triumphant Democracy."

### Populist for Congress.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 2.—John H. Stephenson (Populist) has been nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Twenty-third district.

# GREAT BRITAIN EAGER FOR PEACE.

## Will Co-Operate Heartily in the Czar's Peace Project.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon announces that although, owing to the absence of the Marquis of Salisbury, Great Britain has not yet formally replied to the Czar's peace note, the British Embassador at St. Petersburg has already communicated in cordial terms the hearty sympathy with which the note was read by the Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury.

When the Marquis of Salisbury replies to the note, the Gazette continues, he will hail with satisfaction and delight the Czar's initiative, assuring him of the determination of Her Majesty's advisers to co-operate heartily in promoting his great aim.

# AUXILIARIES ARE RETURNED.

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PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 2.—The auxiliary cruisers St. Paul and St. Louis to-day at Cramps' were returned to the International Navigation Company by the Government. There was no ceremony attendant upon the transfers beyond the hauling down of the American flag and raising of the ensign of the International Navigation Company.

The officials of the Company were notified that the Harvard and Yale, now in New York, would also be turned over to-day to the Company.

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# COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE WILL MEET TOMORROW.

## Delegates Are to Be Elected by Wards and Townships.

### San Leandro may be Chosen as the Meeting Place for the Coming County Convention.

### Plans Are Now in Definite Shape for the Coming State Campaign—Talcott is Popular in His District.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the Republican County Central Committee meets in its rooms in the Blake & Moffitt building, at which time the final arrangements for the primaries and the County Convention will be settled. The meeting will be one of considerable importance, for the method of apportioning the delegates will be decided upon. The opposition against dividing up the wards, continues and it is now practically a certainty that the original plan of the past will be adhered to. Under this method there will be 297 delegates, as previously stated.

The location of the Convention may be San Leandro. The residents of that city are hard at work and have offered material inducements to have the convention held there.

Berkeley and Oakland have also bid for the assemblage of politicians, but neither city has done as much active work as has San Leandro. There is a possibility, however, that Oakland may be the favored location.

The Convention will be called to order at 10 o'clock as usual and its deliberations will occupy the entire day, with possibly an evening session.

A small delegation of San Francisco politicians visited Oakland last evening to size up the situation with regard to the possibilities for Assembly and Senatorial honors. Several of the political leaders of the county met with them and the assurance was given that Republicans would be elected.

FISHER MAKES A STATEMENT.

P. M. Fisher, principal of the Central School has given his reason of his trip to Sacramento which has been commented upon by School Director Clement. The fact that J. W. Evans and H. A. Powell, both School Directors, were working for Pardee during the State Convention has also been brought forward.

"I am a city employee of the School Department," said Fisher," and Clement is a Director. "I am not in a position to make reply to his comments on my taking part in an effort to secure the Republican nomination for Governor for Dr. George C. Pardee.

"I would like to say, however, that in no way was my visit to Sacramento detrimental to the interests of my school. The trip cost the city of Oakland nothing. As a matter of fact the city gained two days of my salary. When I drew my warrant today I found that much had been deducted. But I expected to lose two days' salary and to pay my own expenses when I went to Sacramento.

"My school runs like clockwork, and it was wound up for the occasion. I have an excellent corps of teachers, and matters were so well adjusted that things could run smoothly at least two days without my presence.

"I went to Sacramento to work in the interest of Dr. Pardee, my personal friend, and had intended to stay only one day. I remained the second day because I had been requested to make a speech on the floor of the convention when Pardee was placed in nomination. Dr. Pardee had requested me to go. I said, 'Doctor, I will have to leave my school for a day or so. He replied, 'I do not believe Alameda county will object to that."

A TALCOTT MEETING.

A number of the leading citizens of Fruitvale met last evening at the residence of J. H. Spring on Fruitvale avenue to formulate a plan of campaign in behalf of the candidacy of J. R. Talcott, who has so ably served the interests of his constituents in the Second Supervisorial district during the past four years. It was decided to hold a meeting at Masonic Hall in lower Fruitvale the latter part of next week. A committee of three, consisting of Robt. B. Bain of precinct 1, Albert F. Shulte of precinct 2, and P. C. Frederickson of precinct 3, was appointed to arrange for the meeting and to give notice of the time and place selected therefor. A large attendance is expected, as all citizens of Fruitvale are invited.

METCALF'S FRIENDS.

The Alameda County Central Metcalf Club met last evening in its headquarters on Eighth street. There were thirty-five present. By-laws were adopted and arrangements made for meetings every Thursday evening.

The Leckie-Webster committee met at Twenty-third avenue last evening and discussed campaign plans.

THE DEMOCRATS.

During the early part of next week the Democratic State Central Committee will meet and outline its plan of campaign. Though it is generally conceded that this is to be a Republican victory through the county, nevertheless there will be a very active fight waged by the fusion forces. However, so far the county Democrats are backward about putting candidates in the field and so far but very few names have been announced.

In speaking of the matter today, R. M. Fitzgerald said:

"Democrats are very modest, you know, and as a consequence they have not done a great deal in the line of naming their leaders. However, when the time comes I do not think there will be any scarcity of strong names. We do not by any means concede this campaign to the Republicans.

MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD POPULISTS.

Populists of the Middle-of-the-Road order will hold their county club primaries on September 10th. This was decided at a meeting held last evening, at which there was a full representation of the County Central Committee. The primaries will be held under the supervision of the various Assembly district clubs, and in order to vote Middle-of-the-Roaders must sign the club rolls three days prior to the 10th.

The County Convention will be held on the 15th, when a full county ticket is to be nominated.

THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

There was quite a number of Alameda county politicians present at the State Central Committee rooms in San Francisco yesterday afternoon and evening. They came to pledge support and assistance in whatever capacity desired. The newly appointed committee will be called together during next week

The young men of Oakland who did such effective work at Sacramento intend to give Gage a farewell boom as he speeds through this city tonight on his way to the southland. They will meet the train at Sixteenth street and pay their respects to the leader.

Congressman Hilborn, C. H. Spear, G. W. Reed, J. S. Teague and others from Alameda county visited the State rooms yesterday.

There has been no conference as to officers of the State Central Committee It is regarded as certain that the present treasurer, Paris Kilbourn, will continue in that capacity, but the secretaryship is a matter of doubt. While Wendell Easton in all probability will be made the official secretary, there will have to be secured a man to give all his time to the work.

The following officers have been elected at the permanent organization meeting of the West Berkeley Republican Clubs: President, Andrew S. Anderson; vice president, Thomas Down; secretary, A. L. Larsen; treasurer, James Hamilton; sergeant at arms, John Dillon. The president has appointed the following committees: Finance, Charles Franklin, L. Wilson, A. Larsen; organization, F. O'Brien, J. Hamilton, Thomas Dowd.

J. F. Teague has declared himself a candidate for the Assembly from the Forty-ninth district.

Sam Heller, who was deposed as a deputy under Sheriff White, announces himself as an independent candidate for the office.

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# HER LADYSHIP CLAIMS WATER FRONT PROPERTY

### Leliah Kirkham Yarde-Buller Addresses the Mayor.

### Objects to the Use of Certain Property For Park Purposes.

Lady Yarde-Buller objects to the city accepting the proposition of the Peralta Heights and East Oakland Improvement Club to deed to the city the tide land lying between Eighth and Twelfth streets.

She lays claim to an interest in this property, as the following letter to Mayor Thomas will show:

August 30, 1898.

To the Mayor of Oakland, Cal.—Sir: I have not deeded my tide lands (re Kellesberg's map) to the city of Oakland for any public park between Twelfth and Eighth streets. I was not represented by a lawyer at your meeting held by the C. C. on Monday evening, August 19, 1898, and I would be obliged if you will allow me the courtesy of the choice of saying yes or no to an improvement which may be advisable, but yet not as much needed as your honorable party seems to think. Yours Truly.

LEILAH KIRKHAM YARDE-BULLER.

May I ask why this wonderful park cannot reach to Seventh street, etc.? L. K. Y.-B

It has never been known that the Kirkham estate, in which Lady Yarde-Buller claims an interest, laid any claims to water front property in this vicinity, and the fact that the Kirkham estate was sold by order of the court and purchased by Dr. W. P. Wheeler, who makes no claim to the property, will make it difficult for the eccentric heiress to prove her demand.

The property in question is to be used as a dumping ground for the dredgings from Lake Merritt, and when filled in will be converted into a public park.

# SAN JOSE COUNTY DEMOCRATS CONVENE.

### An Attempt to Fuse With the Populists Likely to Fail.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Sept. 2.—The Democratic County Convention assembled at 11 o'clock today. After temporary organization and appointment of committees a recess was taken until 2 P. M. The committees are as usual, except that a conference committee was appointed to meet a similar committee from the Populists to see if fusion could be agreed upon.

A similar course was pursued in the Populist convention, which convened at about the same hour.

A conference committee to confer with these two committees was appointed by the Good Government League some days ago. The outlook does not appear hopeful for fusion, since a portion of the Democratic convention seems determined to name a candidate for Superior Judge, who is utterly distasteful to all reform elements. If this can be prevented fusion may succeed.

# GENERAL CLAY'S DIVORCE PETITION.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 2.—The petition for divorce filed by General Cassius M. Clay to secure a legal separation from his girl wife, Dora Richardson Clay, recited: "That the plaintiff had treated the defendant in all respects as a dutiful and faithful husband, and that he has fully met and discharged all the covenants of said marriage contract, but that the defendant, did without fault on the part of the plaintiff, abandon him on July 3, 1897, and has since lived separate and apart from him."

General Clay prays for a divorce and asks that the defendant be restored to her maiden name and given all proper relief, which is supposed to mean that he intends to provide a liberal allotment.

The defendant's answer admits all the charges.

General Clay says that the girl shall never want so long as he lives.

# MRS. LATHROP WAS DERANGED.

**While In This Condition She Took Her Own Life.**

The inquest over the remains of Mrs. Carrie Lathrop, who drowned herself in the bay, was held at the Berkeley Morgue yesterday, the verdict being suicide while temporarily insane.

The testimony of Dr. Bennett-Nash was to the effect that for the past five months deceased had been very ill, and for a week or more had shown symptoms of melancholia. She was depressed and taciturn, although she had never made suicidal threats.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

# FATAL AFFRAY IN KENTUCKY.

### Jack Chinn's Brother-in-Law Killed in a Grudge Fight.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 2.—A special to the Post from Harrodsburg, Ky., says: William Morgan, a brother-in-law of Colonel Jack Chinn, the well known blue grass turfman, was shot twice in the breast and stabbed in the abdomen once by James Moberly this morning. Morgan died shortly after. There had been an old grudge between the two men, which culminated in a personal encounter.

### Attorney Garrity's Condition.

Attorney Tom Garrity, who has been seriously ill for some time, is now slightly improved, though a rumor was current today to the effect that he was not expected to live. Mr. Garrity's physicians confidently hope for his recovery within a short time.

# IRRIGATION CONGRESS IS HARD AT WORK.

### Bill Reported Which Has the House Approval.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 2.—The National Irrigation Congress opened promptly at 10 o'clock this morning with an increased attendance, a number of additional delegates from Colorado, Montana and Wyoming having arrived.

Before proceeding with the regular programme roll call of States before adjournment was ordered, to name members of the National Committee, and the matter of selecting a place for the next annual meeting was made a special order for 4 o'clock today.

The report of Colonel H. B. Maxson, member of the committee appointed by the Lincoln Congress to go to Washington, was the first regular order.

Colonel Maxson's report was important in that the committee had framed a bill which will secure the support of the House Committee on Arid Lands. This bill provides that States taking advantage of the Carey law shall have ten years from the date of the final segregation to reclaim. The State may file through a local Land Office for temporary segregation for a period of four months. Failure to file maps and plans within this period works a forfeiture of the effort. Upon final segregation the desert character of the land will be held to be finally settled. Both Congressmen Shafroth and Jenkins waived the right to push their individual bills in support of the committee bill, but since the war with Spain the whole matter has lain in abeyance.

The report was applauded, and the committee received the thanks of the Congress. The report caused some discussion, which was not completed.

E. S. Nettleton of Colorado read a very interesting statistical paper on the subject "The Successes and Failures in Canal Building and the Causes Thereof." President Carey introduced Mr. Nettleton by saying he was most highly esteemed among the pioneers of irrigation because of the great work he had done during many years.

Mr. Nettleton divided irrigation enterprises into three heads, "corporation, co-operation and colony," and exhaustively described the methods and motives of each.

# CORBETT WILL FIGHT ALL COMERS.

### Date of His Match With McCoy Has Not Been Settled.

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CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Jim Corbett, the pugilist, passed through Chicago to-day on his way to New York. In an interview he said:

"I am feeling perfectly swell and have not allowed myself to worry. As regards the fight with McCoy, I have not made up my mind whether to fight on October 1st or not, and cannot tell until I have talked it over with Considine. I am still in the business, though, and mean to give everybody a chance. I want to thank the members of the sporting fraternity for their kindly expressions of sympathy with me in my bereavement."

# DATE SET FOR THE PEACE CONFERENCE.

**Russia to Covene It a Month After We Settle With Spain.**

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, Sept. 2.—It is the intention of Russia, according to reliable information obtained by the correspondent here of the Associated Press, to convene a peace conference a month after the adjournment of the Spanish-American conference.

### In the Courts To-day.

Decrees of foreclosure were to-day handed down in the cases of the Oakland Bank of Savings against Christina Higgins, and Margaret J. Jones against Charles B. Andrews.

Matilda Erkenbrecker has been given a judgment for $158 in her suit against George Schmidt.

Judge Hall to-day appointed Edmund Hathaway, R. C. Vose, and M. A. Amaral to appraise the estate of John Antonio Loza, deceased.

Petitions have been filed for sale of property belonging to the estate of Cornelius Mahoney and Orrin A. Terry, deceased.

The action of W. A. Rouse and Charles Hunt against F. W. Searing et al has been dismissed.

### Farce at Golden Gate.

A farce comedy will be given in Klinkner Hall, Golden Gate, to-night, by Miss Mae Dagnan and J. Lou Hallett of San Francisco. Specialties and fancy dancing will be given by the pupils of Miss Dagnan. The admission has been placed at the nominal price of fifteen cents. Dancing will be indulged in after the programme.

### Hospital Case.

S. A. Boxley, a machinist, had the forefinger of his right hand broken by a revolving wheel to-day while working at the Judson Manufacturing Company's works. He was treated by Dr. Kane at the Receiving Hospital.

### Trearury Balance.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—To-day's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $296,548,912; gold reserve, $219,320,372.

# BURNED TO DEATH WHILE SLUMBERING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KESWICK, Cal., Sept. 2.—John E. Miller's large two-story saloon building was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is about $5,000; insured. Not a dollar's worth of property was saved.

The fire started from underneath the building which contained several sleeping rooms. Some of the lodgers escaped without waiting to dress, but James Smythe, a piano player, was burned to a crisp. The night barkeeper tried to wake him but could not.

Smythe had gone to bed very late, and was sleeping too soundly to be aroused. The barkeeper could not drag him out, as the flames were burning fiercely. When the body was recovered the arms were burned off to the elbow and the legs to the knees, but it was still recognizable.

Smythe was at one time County Clerk in Kootenai county, Idaho, and well-to-do. His mother lives in Fresno.

# CHIEF LEES MAKES ANOTHER DISCOVERY.

### Has Traced the Handkerchief Sent to the Dunning Child.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—The mystery of the cheap little handkerchief which was enclosed in the box of poisoned candy sent to Mrs. John P. Dunning at Dover, Del., and intended for baby Dunning, has been partially cleared.

Chief of Police Lees and his detectives have been working on the mystery of the handkerchief ever since they took hold of the case; they have been trying to ascertain why it was sent, unless it was sent as a blind, and they have been trying to locate the purchasing place.

They have solved the latter problem to their own satisfaction, but whether the fancy bordered piece of linen was purchased by Mrs. Botkin, they will not state.

They have traced the purchasing place of the handkerchief to the City of Paris dry goods store, where there are dozens more just like it, all marked exactly like the one sent for Mrs. Dunning's little daughter.

The clerks in the store know, Mrs. Botkin, as she was a frequent buyer at the establishment, but whether the handkerchief salesman will prove a good witness for the prosecution, Chief of Police Lees will not state.

# DISTRIBUTION OF THE CROCKER ESTATE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Henry T. Scott and Charles E. Green, executors of the will of the late Charles F. Crocker and guardians of the three minor heirs, to-day filed a petition in the probate court for a partial distribution of the estate, which is estimated to be worth $7,000,000. The petition will be heard by Judge Coffey on the 14th inst.

# CREEGAN-BECKER TRIAL POSTPONED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—The new trial of James Creegan and James Becker, convicted of forgery by the Superior Court, has been postponed for two weeks. Their attorney asked to have the case tried in some other court than Judge Wallace's, and Judge Wallace took the appeal under advisement.

# PAYING A TRIBUTE TO A SOLDIER.

**Iowans Requested to Atten Private Brown's Funeral.**

Barlow Brown, a young soldier of Company B, Fifty-first Iowa Regiment, U. S. V., died yesterday at the Temporary Convalescent Home of the Red Cross Society in this city.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from Brown's undertaking parlors on Thirteenth street. Mrs. Veitch, the chairman of the committee of arrangements, wishes the ladies of the Red Cross and as many people from Iowa as possibly can to attend the services.

# FIFTEEN YEARS FOR BURGLARY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Judge Wallace this morning sentenced William McKeever to serve fifteen years in Folsom for burglary. He robbed a store on July 1st.

# THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ADJOURNS.

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QUEBEC, Sept. 2.—The International Conference has adjourned until September 20th.

### Chicago Broker Fails.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—William Henderwood, Jr., who has been engaged in the investment and loan business, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. He has liabilities aggregating $183,000; principally money invested by him for his creditors in mining and boards of trade speculations. His assets are placed at about $140,000, part of which is in dispute before the court.

# BOTH MOTHER AND DAUGHTER INSANE.

## Brought to the Hospital to Be Examined by the Physicians.

An unfortunate family affair was made public this afternoon when Mrs. S. W. Day and her young daughter Laura were brought to the Receiving Hospital to be examined in regard to their sanity.

The unfortunates have been living at 586 Tenth street in this city, and have a great many friends. It is claimed that they have been acting in a queer manner.

The mother is insane on religion and believes she is lost.

The 18-year-old daughter believes that men are trying to separate her from her mother. The couple will be taken before the Lunacy Commissioners for examination.

# REGULAR ARMY TROOPS ASSIGNED.

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Orders have been issued by the War Department that all regular army regiments now at Montauk which were stationed previously east of the Mississippi river, shall return to those same stations.

# NATIVE DAUGHTERS MAKE A HIT.

**Minstrel Show at the Macdonough Theater Was Attended By Many People**

The minstrel show given by the Native Daughters at the Macdonough Theater last evening was a decided success. The programme was full of local hits, the jokes were all new, and many times the house was brought down by their laughable antics. There were many hits for the politicians, and nearly every politician of prominence in Alameda county was present.

The following young ladies took part in the entertainment: Maggie Dennis, Madge Brown, Louise Jacobsen, Cora Racket, Nellie Noblett, Amanda Hammerly, Dora Bonter, Mabel Hopkins, Annie Macdonald, Jennie Brown, Lena Kingel, Flora Cantry, Daisy Sommers, Jennie Montgomery, Minnie Morras, Jennie Christoffersen, Lou Russell, Gertrude Surryhne, Emma Munson, Annie Bergin, Estella Miller, Jessie Neuman, Laura Demorest, Grace Hipkins, Beth Hamilton, Jessie Tresler, Gladys Munson, Bertha Paul, Tiny Pierce, Georgie Courant, Catherine Campbell, Mabel Pierce, Florence Rickard.

# ALAMEDA ELECTRIC CAR DERAILED.

**The Narrow Gauge Local Loses One of Its Trips This Afternoon.**

This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock one of the cars on the Alameda and Oakland line jumped the track at the intersection of the narrow gauge on Water street and immediately north of the approach to the Webster street bridge

Appliances to replace the car upon the track were sent back for to the power house in Alameda, and some time was lost in having the apparatus reach the ground.

In the meantime, a train on the narrow gauge road on the way from San Francisco arrived, and its passage was blocked by the derailed electric car. It had been flagged, however, on the south side of the bridge, and there waited until the electric car was replaced on the track by means of heavy jacks. The train lost one trip.

# GENEROUS GIFTS TO TO THE RED CROSS.

**Many Contributions are Being Made For the Convalescent Home For Soldiers.**

The names of donors who have given articles to furnish the Red Cross Convalescent Home since the publication of the last list are as follows: Mrs. Josiah Stanford, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. J. A. Bliss, Mrs. Mott, Mrs. John Ballard, Mrs. H. H. Kirby, H. H. Kirby, Miss Emily Hildeburn, Mrs. R. G. Brown, (3d donation), Mrs. Hartman, The Sewing Committee of the Red Cross, Mrs. Richard Derby, Mrs. W. Bailey, (3d donation), Mrs. John Cushing, Mrs. A. J. Ralston (2nd donation), Mrs. Geo. W. Hume, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Gibbons, Mrs. Daniel Titus, Mrs. Isaac Hyde, (Mrs. Lohman, Miss Janet Haight (2nd donation), Pierce Hardware Company (second donation), Mrs. Max Marcuse, Mrs. Sol Kahn.

# NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE CLOSES.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The governing board of the Stock Exchange, at the request of members, has reconsidered its decision of Wednesday not to close the Exchange on Saturday, September 3d, and have decided to suspend business from 3 P. M. to-day to 10 A. M. Tuesday.

# POLICE COURT NEWS.

The charge of violation of the liquor license ordinance against John Jurgin was dismissed in the Police Court this morning on motion of the License Collector.

The case of Ed Foster and John S. Rodgers, charged with battering Lem Lung, was continued to September 13th for trial.

William Cook was given five days for sleeping out.

As no complaint had been filed, the case of Percy Atkins, charged with using vulgar language, went over till to-morrow.

### Atkins is Very Sorry.

I, Piercy Atkins, was arrested for disturbing the meeting and for using bad language at the Salvation Army Thursday night, September 1st. In consideration of my regret and promise of future good behavior, the officers of the Army did not prosecute me, and therefore I desire to make a public apology for my conduct.

PIERCY ATKINS.

# ARMED DEPUTIES PARADE THE STREETS.

PANA, Ills., Sept. 2.—Fifty-four Deputy Sheriffs who have been doing guard duty at the Springside mine made a demonstration this afternoon by marching in a body through the principal streets of the city with loaded Springfield rifles and fixed bayonets to the City Hall Park, where they rested on their arms for half an hour. They were in charge of Mayor Roswell and Chief Deputy Baldwin. Later they returned to the Springside mine.

All along the line of march citizens hissed the deputies and applied all manner of epithets to them, but the deputies coolly continued the march.

Mayor Penwell said the deputies were brought to the city on the orders of Governor Tanner, but the State Secretary of the Labor Bureau, Mr. Roos, the Governor's representative, looking into the situation, denied the statement of the Mayor. Mayor Penwell said it was feared the lives of the deputies and operators' families were in danger. The demonstration created great excitement.

MORE NEGROES COMING.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 2.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Pana, Ill., says that State President Hunter of the United Mine Workers' Association of Illinois returned today from the South, where he had gone for the purpose of preventing any more negro miners coming North to work during the present strike. He was unsuccessful, for another trainload of colored miners is expected at Pana this afternoon. The union miners make direct threats against them, even going so far as to say they will ditch the train.

# WINNIE DAVIS VERY ILL.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I, Sept. 2.—Miss Winnie Davis, the daughter of Jefferson Davis, who is ill with gastritis here, experienced a change for the worse today. Her condition is considered critical.

# NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD DIVIDENDS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The directors of the Northern Pacific Railroad took no action to-day regarding a dividend on the common stock, but the president said that if business prospects continue as at present, it would be proper for the Board in the course of a few months to consider the question of a dividend on the common stock from the earnings of the year. The report for the year ending July 30th shows net earnings of $12,584,317; reserved for continuity of dividends on the preferred stock, $3,000,000; surplus

# GENEROSITY OF EXPRESS COMPANIES.

**Their Patriotic Decision to Pay the War Tax—From Now On**

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CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—At a special conference today of the representatives of the Adams, American, and United States Express companies it was decided that the companies would from this date bear the expense of the war tax instead of requiring the public to stamp packages.

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TRUNKS MOVED, 25c each. 424 Tenth st.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture and household goods than you can get anywhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1517-19 Park st., Alameda, general auctioneers. Tel. red 423.

### FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Two beautiful rooms, one furnished, also one unfurnished. 669 Eleventh st.

FOR RENT—Front suite of rooms, furnished or unfurnished; small room for kitchen if desired; private family; references required. 966 West st., Oakland.

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### ROOMS WANTED.

FURNISHED ROOM WANTED for quiet gentleman. 936 Filbert st., near Tenth.

### ROOMS AND BOARDING.

A LADY would like one or two children to board; ages between 3 and 8. Apply 1021½ Franklin st.

FIRST CLASS room and board for two; terms very moderate; large bay window suit facing on Washington st. Mrs. Lamb, Brunswick Hotel.

### HOUSES FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Cottage, furnished or unfurnished 1513 Seventh ave., one block from electric cars.

ELMHURST—Seven room house on electric car line near Jones ave.; well and city water; stable; fruit; shade trees and flower garden; cement and gravel road and walks. Inquire of Mrs. E. J. Haney, Elmhurst.

### HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Cottage of five rooms and bath; at a bargain; Webster below Seventh. Inquire at 902 Franklin.

FOR SALE—At a bargain; a four room modern cottage with lot 27½x118 ft.; on Twenty-third ave.; near two electric car lines; good location; street work all done; price $1,200; mortgage of $780 may be assumed. Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland.

### OFFICE TO RENT.

SUNNY OFFICES and rooms to let, with or without board; reasonable rates. 1115 Broadway.

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866 CASTRO STREET—Upper floor; three sunny rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; bath; no children; rent reasonable.

### MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos, jewelry, live stock, merchandise, machinery, etc. Raleigh, 457 Ninth st.

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### PASTURAGE.

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COTTON BROS. & CO., bridge builders and general contractors, engineers and builders of all kinds of bridge work; pile driving and wharf building. 475½ Tenth st., Oakland; telephone 513.

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### HORSESHOER.

EDMUND GATES—Horse-shoer and blacksmith, San Leandro road, corner High st.; horses properly shod, $1.25; plain shoeing, $1; special attention paid to horses that wear out hind shoes too rapidly; light tire setting, 50c each; new steel buggy tires, per set, $5; all kinds of jobbing and repairing at reasonable rates.

### WANTED--MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—To trade for a light delivery wagon. Inquire Vincent's Market, Seventh and Washington.

WANTED—A span of mares; gentle, trustworthy and cheap; weight 1,200 or 1,300 each. No. 4 East Eighteenth st., East Oak

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SCANDINAVIAN GIRL wants place as cook or light housework. Apply 1637 Market st.

PROTESTANT WOMAN wants a place; good cook. Apply 213 San Pablo ave., room 1.

RESPECTABLE WOMAN wants position in small family; is a good cook; no objection to a plain wash; and will do sweeping; good references. Apply 515 Ninth st.

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PRIVATE Employment Office—Mrs. L. C. Marvin, removed to 1159 Washington st.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Capable girl to do housework in family of three. Call 7 to 8 P. M., 1016 Fourteenth st.

GIRLS to learn a trade; those with knowledge of shoemaking preferred; wages while learning. Apply 1463 Twenty-third avenue.

LADIES to address postals. 608 Twenty-sixth st.

WANTED—A first class cook, wages $30; a girl for general housework, wages $25; a competent nurse for infants, woman preferred, wages $25. Call at Marvin's Hair Store, 1159 Washington st.

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BROOKS & HARGIS, Attorneys-at-Law, Parrott bldg., San Francisco. Telephone Jessie 601.

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PHIL M. WALSH, Attorney-at-Law, City Justices' Court building, S. E. corner Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law and Notary Public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE, rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY, Attorneys-at-Law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 967 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 88.

JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, room 3, District Attorney's office, Court House.

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SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR., Attorney-at-Law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

### PROPERTY FOR SALE.

CLOSING OUT AN ESTATE—The executor of the estate of Margaret P. McCourtney, deceased, has removed to the office of the "North Oakland Real Estate Headquarters," 470 Thirteenth st., bet. Broadway and Washington; telephone main 255. Purchasers will be given an opportunity to select acreage property admirably located for subdividing into choice building lots. Particulars upon application. Richard J. Montgomery, executor.

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Kate Clement has returned from a visit to Burlingame.

Mrs. M. Kispert is in Salinas.

Smith Comstock is in Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred White are the guests of D. A. Faulkner of Woodland.

Mrs. W. W. Ayers is at the National in Nevada City.

H. Spaulding of Downieville has returned to his home after a visit in this city and San Francisco.

A. Labelle is in Porterville looking out for his interests there.

F. P. Marsh was in Galt Tuesday.

Miss Daisy Maxwell is back after a pleasant visit with friends in Campbell.

Fred and Anna Wythe of Auburn have returned home after a six weeks' sojourn visiting friends in this city and in San Jose.

E. L. Taylor of Rocklin has joined his family in this city to remain two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith spent Sunday with relatives in Petaluma.

Miss Lundholm of Petaluma has been visiting in this city and in San Francisco.

Mrs. C. F. Flint is visiting in Hollister.

M. V. Sparks was in Marysville last week.

Culbert Meade is visiting in Chico.

James Vance is the guest of A. C. Baumgartner of Marysville.

H. G. Osburn has gone to Santa Rosa where he intends to purchase a farm and make his home.

Miss Mabel Sparks is the guest of Miss Agnes Armstrong of Davisville.

Dr. A. F. Merriman has left for Omaha to attend the National Dental Congress held there.

Miss Susie Espey, who has been studying in this city is back from a pleasant vacation spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Espey of Oysterville, Washington.

Mrs. M. A. Rosevear of Grass Valley is visiting friends in this city and in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. A. Folger is back after a pleasant sojourn in San Rafael.

W. J. Owen was in Visalia last week.

Edgar Freeman of Auburn has been spending several weeks in this city and in San Francisco.

B. B. Deming of Auburn was recently in this city.

Mrs. L. S. Studevant was recently the guest of Mrs. G. E. Chittenden of Niles.

Paul de Martin was visiting his father in Clayton last week.

William Smith was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Alamo last week.

Elmer House spent Sunday in Byron visiting R. M. Van Derhoof.

P. Kane was in Alamo last week.

Miss Grace Wilson is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. J. Wilson of Walnut Creek.

Mrs. A. Williams of Walnut Creek has been visiting in this city.

Mrs. Eliza Wilson of Los Angeles is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. B. Young, of this city.

Councilman H. D. Rowe and wife left Tuesday for an extended trip in the East. Mr. Rowe goes East as a delegate of the Order of the Eastern Star to the Grand Chapter which convenes at Washington.

Mrs. F. B. Coghill has been visiting at the Stanley ranch near Napa for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Perry have issued cards for "at home" for Friday evening at 1168 Tenth street.

Dr. T. McGovern of Alameda has returned from a trip to China.

Miss Mabel Gray will deliver a lecture on "Venice" before the Saturday afternoon Club of Santa Rosa next Saturday.

A Dewey tea will be given at the home of Mrs. Boehrer, Berkeley, on Friday evening for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church.

Miss Raymond will give a second drawing-room lecture with Mrs. George E. Fairchild on Tuesday, September 6th at 3 o'clock.

### REAL ESTATE.

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Crellin Hotel—Mrs. S. W. Rose, Santa Clara; F. J. A. Davidson, wife and family, Stanford University; Jacob Jing, Woodland; S. A. Roberts, San Francisco; D. B. Marwick and wife, Grass Valley; M. E. Daily, Fresno; W. E. Greene, Oakland; M. E. Greene, Oakland; E. A. Greene, Oakland.

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Albany Hotel—L. F. M. Miller, Company I, Eighth Regiment, Oakland; J. L. Pendleton, Saratoga; Mrs. J. A. McLestere and daughter, Sacramento; H. C. Conners, Seattle; A. J. Gallagher and wife, Oakland.

## OFFICIAL RECORDS.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1898.

DEEDS.

Aug. 29, 1898—Richard & Nellie E. Craft to E. Glatz, E Okd, Beg at a pt 100 NE from NE E-10th st and 150 NW from NW 10th av 150 SE from SE 9th av th NE 50 x SE 25 blk 17, Clinton, $100.

Oct. 31, 1896—W. H. Higgins to C. W. Hewitt, Okd Anx, NE Grant av 572-6 SE Telegraph av SE 37-6 x NE 115, being lot 72 and NE ½ lot 72½, Amended Map Mosswood tct, $10.

Aug. 31, 1898—Emily V. & Hosea M. Brownell to David S. Smalley, Bkly, W Spaulding av 505.8 S Addison st N 200 W 129.25 S 200 E 129.25 to beg blk 2, Spaulding tct, $1000.

Aug. 16, 1898—Melissa S. Carle to Georgia E. Reed, Okd, W Chestnut 195 S 16th S 30 x W 100 blk 588, $2400.

May 26, 1898—Commercial Bank of Bkly to Jas. R. Little, Bkly, SW Milvia st and College way W 45 x S 100, lot 1 blk 3, Sea View Park, $900.

Nov. 13, 1897—John W. Dill to Minnie Dill, Ala, S Buena Vista av 375 E Chestnut st E 25 S 150 W 26 N 65 W 1 N 46 E 1 N 39 to beg, blk 4, Lands adjct to Encinal, Gift.

Aug. 31, 1898—Wm. A. Walker to Martha E. Anderson, Ala, S Clement or Atlantic av 30 E Willow E 30 x S 150 blk 16, Lds adjct to Encinal, $2000.

Aug. 31, 1898—David S. & Jane Smalley to Emily A. V. Brownell, Eden Tp, S Cemetery av distant NE 81 from its pt of intersection with "D" st th NE 360 SE 370 SE 401.28 to intersection of "E" st th SW 157.74 NW 384.78 SW 44.61 NW 36615 to beg, contg 5.18 acres, Town of Haywards, $3150.

Aug. 30, 1898—Jens P. L. & Marie M. Bjorholm to Bengta Hanson, Eden Tp, Lots 7 and 8 blk 47, Petersen tct, Haywards, $10.

Aug. 30, 1898—Bengta & N. V. Hanson to Jens P. L. Bjorholm, Eden Tp, SW Watkins st 100 NW "C" st SW 210 x NW 50, Town of Haywards, $10.

MORTGAGES.

Aug. 27, 1898—Fannie M. O'Neill wf Wm. to Berkely Bank of Savings, Bkly, S Ashby av 250 E Shattuck av E 50 x S 100 blk C, Newbury tct, Aug. 27, 1898, $1400.

Aug. 27, 1898—H. Otersen to Patrick Connolly, Mur'y Tp, Und ¼ int 49.37 acres beg at NE cor of NW ¼ Sec 23 Tp 3 S R 2 E, th NW 12.33 chs S 40.5 chs SE 12.33 chs N 40 chs to beg, 6 mos 7½ per cent, $2000.

Aug. 31, 1898—John E. & Ellen E. Langren to Bank of Alameda, Ala, E Walnut st 110 S San Antonio av S 40 x E 100, $500.

Sept. 1, 1898—Georgia E. Reed to Melissa S. Carle, Okd, W Chestnut st 195 S 16th st S 30 x W 100 blk 588, mo instal $600, 4 years, $1500, $2100.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Aug 23, 98—Wallace Everson to Isaac L Requa and W W Garthwaite trs Okd Bank of Svgs, Okd, SW 12th and Webster sts S 100 x W 100 blk 160, $3,000.

Sept 1, 98—John Muller to Same, Okd, E San Pablo av 93.7 N William st N 37.6 x E 77.9 blk 2002, Hogan tract, $2,000.

July 21, 98—C G Schumacher to Same, Ala, SW San Jose av and Regent st W 128.3¼ x S 88.4 blk 48, Ala Park Hd, $2,000.

Aug 23, 98—Arabella Brunker wf F E to Same, E Okd, NW 12th av 120 NE E-15th st NE 30 x NW 125 blk 67, Clinton, $550.

Aug 10, 98—Martha Hahn wife E J G to Same, Okd, E Filbert st 137.6 S 30th st S 62.6 x E 125 blk B, Golden Gate Hd, $1,000.

Aug 31, 98—Christian and Julia Dietrich to R J McMullen and W D Moody trs Oakland Loan & Inv Co, Okd Anx, lots 16 to 21 Potts tract Map 3.

Also ppty in Santa Rosa, Sonoma county, $800.

Sept 1, 98—Henry V and Mary E Herbert to H Sevening and J E Baker trs Ala Savings Bank, Ala, W Morton st 250 S Santa Clara av S 50 x W 50 x W 150 blk 20, Mary A Fitch Hd, $500.

RELEASES.

Aug 1, 98—Oakland B & L Assn to Geo McKenzie, Bklyn Tp, 416 m 365, lot 14 blk 19, Warner tract, $1,000.

Aug 31, 98—Bank of San Leandro to Jane Stow, Eden Tp, 520 m 158, lots 4, 6 to 11 on Partition Map of Lds Leonard Stone Estate, $2,500.

Aug 25, 98—S F Home Mutual Loan Assn to Wm and Fannie M O'Neill, Bkly, 384 m 189, lot 6 blk C, Newbury tract, $2,600.

Aug 11, 98—C W Tappan to Andres de Santos, Ala, 506 m 293, lots 17 and 18 blk 18, Map of Mary A Fitch Hd, $400.

Sept 1, 98—Oakland Bank of Savings to Wallace Everson, Okd, 431 m 329, SW 12th and Webster sts W 100 x S 100 blk 160, $3,000.

Aug 31, 98—Manuel M de Silva to Jose P da Rosa, Eden Tp, 447 m 459, lot 35 and S ½ lot 36 Pearce tract, Haywards, $500.

Aug 31, 98—Emily A V Brownell to F F Weston, Bkly, 383 m 356, W Spaulding av 505.2 S Addison st N 200 W 129.25 S 200 E 129.25 to beg blk 2, Spaulding tract, $1,000.

Aug 31, 98—Emily A V Brownell to Stephen L Peasley, Bkly, 447 m 5, W Spaulding avenue 505.2 S Addison st N 145 W 129.25 S 145 E 129.25 to beg blk 2, same, $725.

LIS PENDENS.

15,484—Aug. 31, 1898—Mary Ann Mulroony vs. Jennie and Andrew Glaze et al, to partition. Beg at most N cor 25-acre tract of land conveyed by Eliza A. Butterworth to Josiah Rose Aug. 3, 1864, th SE 16.42 chs to NW line county road No. 1438, th SW 15.12 chs NW 8.29 chs to lands of Mary A. Mulroony, th NE 7.50 chs NW 8.11 chs NE 7.67 chs to beg, Bklyn Tp.

15,487—Sept. 1, 1898—Farmers & Mechants Savings vs. Pauline Bockelmann et al, to foreclose 441 m 225, E 12th st 150 S from S line ppty fmly owned by Baxter E 50 S to N line av traversed by Berkeley branch R. R., th W to E-12th st N 105.12 to beg blk 24 Beaudry and Peladeau ppty, Okd Annex; $1,400.

15,485—Sept. 1, 1898—Eleanora Stephens vs. Laila T. Allen et al, to foreclose 569 m 453, S cor E-12th st and 21st av SW 125 SE 125 SW 15 SE 300 NE 140 NW 425 to beg blk 82, northern addn to Brooklyn, E Okd; $850.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Dec. 6, 1897—A. C. Burdick to J. P. Burdick, special, to sell lease or otherwise dispose of personal ppty at No. 870 Washington st, Okd.

HOMESTEADS.

Aug. 31, 1898—C. W. Hewitt, wife R. E., declaration, NE Grant av 572-6 SE Telegraph av SE 37-6 x NE 115, ptn amended map Mosswood tract, Okd Annex; $1,600.

Sept. 1, 1898—Mary C. Heitmann, wife W. D., declaration, E Market st 76-6 S 4th st S 25 E 78-6, beg again at said point of beg, th E parallel with S 4th st 82-7½ SW to E terminus of said line which bounds said land on the S side thereof, Okd; $3,000.

RELEASE OF ATTACHMENT.

Sept. 1, 1898—H. B. Belden to A. C. Anderson, from Justice's Court, Okd in Q of attachments 159, S Jones 350 W Telegraph av W 30 x S 100 Okd; $17.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

Aug. 17, 1898—H. Otersen to Patrick Connolly, und ¼ int tanks, puncheons, wine, etc., at ———— 6 months 7½ per cent; $2,000.

Aug. 19, 1898—W. B. Birdsall to Jennie Horton, piano at 1530 Court st, Ala., 1 month 5 per cent per month; $60.

March 22, 1898—J. A. and May E. Sohlke to J. B. Logan, piano, furniture, etc., at No. 1120 Chestnut st, Ala, 6 months, $2.75 per month; $85.

Aug. 31, 1898—L. A. and Nannie M. Green to E. B. Thorne, furniture, etc., in photograph gallery at No. 439 San Pablo av, Okd. Dec. 1, 1898; $100.

CERTIFICATE OF SALE.

15,236—Aug. 16, 1898—Chas. Mordhurst et al by commr, to Mary E. Williams, lot 23 blk 580-A, map of Peralta and Center street lands, Okd; $800.

July 30, 1898—Pio Ochoa, by constable, to Jose R. Bernal, beg at a point SE 121.66 from a point where the line div the Aubury 6-acre tract from land formerly of Alexander Esdon intersects N line road leading from Dublin to Livermore or Laddsville, said point of beg being W cor land of J. Quevedo, th NE 200 x NW 100, Murray Tp; $154.

RELEASE OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE.

Marginal—E. B. Thorne to Clarence E Eaton, 27 pp m 133, horses, wagons, etc., used in conducting business known as the Merchants' Express at 466 10th st, Okd; $350.

NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF BUILDING.

Aug. 31, 1898—Henrich and Emma Reimers, owners, to whom it may concern, W. Main st 175 N St. Johns st N 360 W 200 S 365 E 200 to beg, town of Pleasanton, Murray Tp. Completed Aug. 30, 1898.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

15,483—Department 1—Mary L. Jones vs. Wm. S. Jones, divorce. Chapman & Bradley.

15,484—Department 2—Mary A. Mulroony vs. Jennie and Andrew Glaze et al., as in lis pendens. E. C. Robinson.

15,485—Department 3—Eleanora Stephens vs. Laila T. Allen et al., as in lis pendens, $850. Cary Howard.

15,486—Department 2—Wm. A. Walker vs. Mabel K. Walker, divorce. Beatty & Sanderson.

15,487—Department 1—Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank vs. Pauline Bockelmann et al., as in lis pendens, $1,400. S. E McKee.

INCORPORATION.

453—Certificate of increase of capital stock of California Cotton Mills Co. from $600,000 to $800,000.

JUDGMENTS.

Samuel Crozier vs. M. W. Connor, $171.

W. H. Martin vs. Fanny Fischer et al., $144.

14,440—Salome Anderson et al. vs. Wm. H. Knight admr, of dismissal.

15,348—John L. Beard vs. Robt. T. Moses, same.

14,558—Frank Silva et al. vs. Eliza McMeekan, same.

12,988—City of Oakland vs. E. Flanigan, of dismissal.

14,597—Marion Briggs Jr. vs. J. F. Lacoste, deficiency after sale $1,278.

ESTATES.

5,560—Department 4—John G. Young, application for probate of will, by Jesse Young, real and personal property. G. W. Langan.

5,561—Department 4—E. D. Young et al. (minors), application for letters of guardianship, by Annie Young, int in Est John G. Young. G. W. Langan.

5,562—Department 4—Ellen Quigley, application for letters of administration, by Chas. E. Quigley, personal property $343. B. McFadden.

5,563—Department 4—George Cook, application for letters of administration, by Wm. H. Knight Pub Admr, real property $300. Geo. E. De Golia.

SHERIFFS OFFICE SALES.

Sept 5, 98—Geo Hammersmith vs Thos Ewing, lot 71 blk D, lds Okd View Dexter et al, NE E-17th st 36.6 SE 9th av SE 41.6 x NE 100 block 95. Clinton, E Okd. At 10 A M in front of Court House.

Sept 2, 98—Frank O'Neal vs Edward Hd, Okd. At 10 A M in front of Court House.

Sept. 12, 1898—Bartlett Doe et al. vs. Geo. L. Carroll et al., 29.24 acres beg at a pt in center San Lorenzo creek where it is intersected by NE line county road San Lorenzo to Haywards, th NW 6 855 chs NE 25.44 chs NE 13.61 chs SE 6.47 chs SW 9 chs SW 17.08 chs SW 9.28 chs S .70 chn SW .74 chn SW 1 chn to beg, Eden Tp. Lot 1 blk 6, Haywards Park Hd Union, Eden Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Sept. 12, 1898—G. Rojas vs. R. Rojas, NE Canal and 17th sts 200 x 49 blk 54, town of Alvarado, Washington Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

Sept. 12, 1898—Pacific Bank vs. Frank M. Stone, 320 acres being the W ½ Sec 21 Tp 3 S R 3 E, Murray Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

COMMISSIONERS SALES.

Sept 5, 98—Marguerita B Evans vs Matilda Henderson et al, 51.18 acres beg at a pt in dividing line bet the Tompkins and Blum and Levy tracts at SE cor 50 acre tract of F M Smith, th NW 13.35 SW 3.92 chns NW 12.53 chns, NE 26.28 chs SE 18.54 chs SW 17.86 chs SW 1.85 chs to beg being ptn Blum & Levy tract, Bklyn Tp. At 2 P M in front of Court House.

Sept 6, 98—Jacob Bertz vs J F Turner et al, lots 28 and 45 blk H, Broadway Terrace, Okd Anx.

A F Peterson vs O P Wilson, Jr, lot 6 blk 8 Warner tract, Bklyn Tp. At 2 P M in front of Court House.

October 25, 1898—Cal. Safe Deposit & Trust Co. as trustee of the trusts created by the mortgage of the Highland Park and Fruitvale R. R., bearing date of April 15, 1893, vs. Highland Park & Fruitvale R. R., lots 5, 6, 7, blk 39, town of Clinton, E. Okd; SW E-12th st 216.50 NW Commerce st SW 100 SW to intersection with N line C. P. R. R. Co.'s right of way, th NW to the intersection with NE E-11th st NW to a point distant 175 E from SE 13th av, NE 25, th on a curve to left with radius of 56.20 ft 69.20 ft, th NE on a tangent parallel with 13th av 222 to SW E-12th st, th SE 31.03 to beg blk 39, Clinton, E Okd; NE E-12h st 225 SE 13th av SE 37 x NE 375, blk B, Clinton, Okd; N E-14th st 271-6 E 13th av N to SE-22d st E 25 S to N E-14th st W to beg, sub to rights of way, etc., E Okd; E cor E-22d st and 13th av NE 75 E 100 NE 50 SE 50 NE 175 SE 196-10 SW 814-4 NW 152-8 to beg blk 140, Clinton, E Okd; all int in strip land 15 ft wide described in deed J. V. Webster et al to Bklyn and Fruitvale R. R. Co. and recorded in 113 d 206; SE Montgomery and Union sts E 101-11½ SW to intersection with E Union st, th N 200 to beg blk N, new town of Lynn, E Okd; beg at NE cor Beulah Park ppty in S line Hopkins st at NW cor lands of Contra Costa Water Co., th SW 32 ft NW 310 ft with a radius of 520 ft curving to the left 130, th E on a curved line 205 SE 242 to beg, E Okd; S Hopkins st at NW cor lands of Redding, th on a curved line to the right with a radius of 213.72 ft 179.29 ft, th reversing said curved line with a radius of 260 ft SE 342.58 SW 35 N 639 ft, E Okd; beg at SW cor Webster Hts tract, th SE 657 ft, th W on a curved line with a radius of 217.5 ft 127 ft, th NW 535 NE 35 ft to beg, Bklyn Tp; .60 of an acre beg at a point in div line bet the lands of Dawley and Webster, distant SE 125 from SE Hopkins st, th SW 440 NW 209, th on a line curving to the left with a radius of 190 ft 300 ft, th on a tangent 245 ft SE 35 to beg, Bklyn Tp; SE Hopkins st at SW cor lands of E. C. Sessions, th SE 125, th on a curved line to the right with a radius of 190 ft 250 ft to a point in S line Hopkins st, th W 700 to beg, Bklyn Tp; S Hopkins st 34 E Fruitvale av S 103 E 116 N 65 NW to a point W to beg, with exception, Bklyn Tp; also all street railroads, franchises, etc. At 2 P. M. in front of Broadway entrance to Court House.


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## Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Weather forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday; generally warmer Saturday; fresh north wind.

FRIDAY.....SEPTEMBER 2, 1898.

A waiter in a Boston restaurant speaks nine languages. As a rule, though, he probably only has the one word to interpret—beans.

The Spanish Cortes meets next Monday. The time set is unusually appropriate, as it is our Labor Day and the task we have given the Dons will keep them remarkably busy for some months to come.

The fact that summer is closing in was shown by the few drops of rain that fell yesterday. In all probability we will have lots of moisture in California this year to compensate for the dry spell last season—nature generally evens things up in this part of the country.

The Gage meeting to be held in Los Angeles Saturday night is going to be on a scale that will show the whole State what is thought of him in his own section. There is no questioning the fact that the Republican standard-bearer is, personally, one of the most popular men in California, and this fact added to the cause he represents will be enough to make the "little" giant so remarkably little that he will practically be out of sight on election day.

Colonel Henshaw's patent bath h[illegible] at Camp Barrett is both a novelty and a sanitary success. Without a doubt it will prove one of the greatest factors possible in preserving the health of the men, for one of the best preventives of sickness is cold water and lots of it. The English plan of having a "tub" every morning has been laughed at a good deal, but it unquestionably is one of the reasons why the British are about the healthiest people in the world.

The suicide of Colonel Henry in Paris will at least awaken France to the justice of giving Dreyfus one more chance to prove his innocence. When the principal witness against him commits suicide through remorse and confesses to having forged the document that sent the unfortunate officer to a living death it is certainly time to see if there has not been a serious error committed somewhere. It looks as if Emile Zola's crusade has not been in vain.

The Oakland Red Cross hospital has started its good work in a very thorough manner and it is certainly going to prove the best feature of all that has been done in connection with the movement. There is no time a young man misses his home so much as when he is sick, and in the tender hands of the noble-hearted women who have undertaken to care for our stricken boys in blue there will certainly be nothing left undone in the way of supplying all the customary comforts of such a needful time.

Hobson is showing that his bump of determination is developed just as much for business matters as it is on the question of a stand-up fight. He has made up his mind that the Cristobal Colon can be saved, and he says that if the Government will not undertake the work he will appeal to the people for a popular subscription of half a million dollars and carry it out that way. And it is a sure thing that if Hobson asks the people for the money he will get it—any of the big journals in New York would be only too glad to advertise itself by undertaking to raise the fund.

### PROTECT THE GAME!

Attention has already been called by the Tribune to the necessity of a stringent enforcement of the game laws, especially at this particular time, when the dealers and pot-hunters are trying to antedate the season and obtain big prices by getting to market first. In this connection it is pleasing to see that Police Judge Conlan of San Francisco yesterday fined a produce dealer $100 for having wild ducks on sale, in addition to which he read a severe lecture on the annual practice of breaking the game law.

Every one who knows anything about the game conditions in California will agree that the most stringent measures possible should be taken as regards the preservation of wild fowl. Ten years or so ago California was one of the greatest hunting grounds for ducks in the entire United States. They came down from their unknown home in the north literally in myriads, and the swamps and tules along the Sacramento river and through the San Joaquin were alive with them. The wanton slaughter of the birds, though, at any and all times soon had a disastrous effect and during the past couple of years the hunting has diminished so sadly that in some ways it is only a shadow of what it once was.

Of course, as far as deer, antelope and other four-footed game are concerned, their extinction is only a matter of time, in California, for with the advance of settlement the fastnesses disappear one by one until at last of necessity there will be no place where these four-footed wanderers can thrive. With the wild fowl, though, is is an entirely different proposition. The duck is a migrating bird, and only comes to the haunts of civilization to escape the rigors of the Arctic winter. Properly protected and encouraged, there is no reason why these fowl should not always swarm here, and it is with this object in view that our game law was passed.

Surely between October 1st and March 1st there is plenty of time to scour the marshes and supply the markets with game. Half of its attractiveness consists in its being unobtainable during certain months of the year, and certainly those who are trying to steal a march on their fellows by catering to the demand ahead of time should be brought up with a round, sharp turn. To hunt duck now not only means taking an unfair advantage over the legitimate hunters who will take the field later on, but it also entails the possibility of driving away the flocks of wild fowl and depleting the market later on. Every nimrod will certainly applaud the application of severe punishment to these violators of the law, and it is to be hoped that the Game Wardens and officials of the various counties will keep a sharp lookout for them, so that it will be assured that any infractions of the law will be followed by speedy retribution.

About a hundred applications for pensions in connection with the recent war have already been filed at the department at Washington, most of them being the claims of widows and next of kin of those who fell in the engagement before Santiago. There is no question that these are worthy cases, but grave elements of doubt certainly exist regarding the Civil War claims that are pouring in nowadays. During last year alone 63,648 more pensioners were added to the list, thus bringing the total up to 1,010,356. There can't have been many missed, in view of that showing.

County Clerk Jordan's open response to the certification charges will satisfy everybody that his department is beyond suspicion regarding the matter. Mr. Jordan does not simply reply on his own denial, but he advances evidence that is indisputable, as, for instance, the declaration of Expert Gumpel that the alleged certification is a forgery. It is nothing new around election time to have all kinds of lies advanced and bolstered up, but luckily Mr. Jordan is in a position where he can drag the mask from those made with the intention of injuring him and can thus prove them to be false.

Weyler has suddenly come to the front with a rush and declares that he wants to fight in order to retrieve the honor of Spain. But when, where and how? The "butcher," it will be noticed, was markedly careful to lie low until it was certain that the peace which had been declared will be maintained. If he is so full of fight why didn't he turn out at the time he could have done his country some good in that line?

No monarch is so much a prisoner as the Pontiff of the Catholic Church. Pius IX did not leave the Vatican for eight years, and Pope Leo has not been out of it since he assumed the tiara twenty years. It is true that it has vast grounds and is a little principality in itself, but it is cut off from the entire world, and Leo will probably never venture beyond its confines again.

Before the campaign is over Maguire will discover that the sharp end is turned up of those single "tacks" ideas he scattered around the State in days gone by.

It is a coincidence, to say the least, that in the State of Missouri a School Superintendent named Kirk is on the Republican ticket for Superintendent of Public Instruction. Like his namesake in California, he is declared to be a sure-thing winner.

No wonder the other nations of the world are looking at us with envious admiration. Here we have just gone through an expensive war, during the course of which we have practically bought a ready-made navy, yet our treasury vaults are bursting with their stores of gold, over $200,000,000 being in the national strong box.

There is already talk of holding a series of national fetes for Dewey when he returns to America. The Pacific Coast will have the honor of entertaining him first, and it is a sure thing that Rome never howled as loud as we will when he puts in an appearance. When New Year's day dawned last January 1st, Dewey little dreamt of the glory it was ushering in for him.

As soon as Porto Rico is formally placed in the possession of Uncle Sam, McKinley will undoubtedly have another swarm of office-seekers descend upon him, for there will be lots of fat appointments to be made in the new territory. All will not be gain, though, for a number of Consuls will lose their jobs, especially throughout Cuba, if a change of system is adopted there. The Consulates in that section of the world are good ones, too, some of the salaries running as high as $6,000 per year.

Chauncey Depew won't be such an ardent advocate of the Anglo-American alliance now that he has been treated so harshly by the London Saturday Review. It refers to him as "a foolish kind of babbling raconteur, whose twaddling is largely intermingled with snobbishness, for he is nothing more than a puppet whose talk has never been taken seriously." This is indeed unkind, after all the nice things Chauncey has been saying for years past about his English cousins.

Following the spirit of the recent Supreme Court decision regarding tugboat marriages, the judges of the Supreme Court who have been called upon to determine the legality of those unions where the contracting parties went to Nevada to avoid our divorce limitation law, have declared them valid. It was certain that any other decision but that would meet with prompt reversal by the Supreme Bench, for the judges let it be known that they would not interfere with marriages contracted in accordance with the laws of any other State or country.

President McKinley is going to take a well-earned vacation this year by paying a visit to the Omaha Exposition. It is a pity that when he gets started for the West he couldn't be kept going until he reached the Pacific Coast. A visit by him to California between now and election time would put the finishing touches on the certainty of success for the Republican State ticket. The State Central Committee should see if there is not something that can be done in the matter, for it is very evident that a better campaign card could not be played.

A commendable suggestion is made that as soon as possible the regulars and sailors who have been in active service during the war be given extended furloughs. The men have naturally been under a very great strain for several months past, and apart from the fact that they have well earned a vacation, they should get the holiday from a hygienic standpoint. Nearly all of those who commanded them are ill, and although the men did not have the same strain on their nerves that the officers endured, they were nevertheless kept wrought up to a high pitch of excitement.

Oysters are in season again in accordance with the old law of "In with the R's and out with the R's," the close season thus being the months between May and August inclusive. This recalls the story of the individual who was caught eating them in August and was upbraided for breaking the established rule. He excused himself by saying that he spelt August —Orgust. As a matter of fact, though, the oyster season limitation does not apply in California, owing to the equable temperature the year around—it is only peremptory in the Eastern States, where the summer months are hot and the oysters consequently become unwholesome.


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Of all the war's heroes
Why is he the best?
We hear Dewey's name,
And our breasts are aflame
With love for the grizzled old tar—
Why is Dewey enshrined
In the heart and the mind,
As Lincoln and Washington are—
Why do we put Dewey
Above all the rest?
Of all the war's heroes
Why is he the best?

When the tocsin was sounded
And the war god awoke,
When the bonds that had held us
As men of peace broke,
And others rushed hither
And thither, at sea,
When other men argued
In war councils, he
With a calmness supernal,
And a course that was plain,
Weighed anchor and started
Across the blue main;
He stayed not for parley,
Nor waited nor planned
For conditions to favor
The project in hand—
As the arrow flies unto its mark he set cut,
Unhindered by fear and a stranger to doubt.

Is there fear in the lion
That has scented his prey?
Does he linger for dangers
Concealed by the way?
Does he hunt for clear pathways
To lead him around
The rocks that before him
Incumber the ground?
Does he crouch in some corner
And warily wait
Intrusting his chances
To favors of fate?
Nay, the lion has none of the sunning that brings
The fawn 'neath the limb where the sleek tiger swings.

E'en as a lion the grim hero went
To the spot where Spain's weapons he blackened and bent;
He stayed not for danger, nor favoring tide:
Nor thought of the snares perhaps hidden inside—
He entered and struck down the foe in his lair,
And set up the standard of liberty there!
And when it was done—when the world stood in awe—
Still grasping the sword, he propounded the law;
He invited no cheers, nor indulged in high boasts,
But silently sat as a new lord of hosts
With a simpleness such as God gives but to those
Too big to be swayed by the world's petty woes.

He marked out his lines, and men saw where they lay,
Nor sought to cross over, nor questioned his sway;
Each word that he spoke was the word that was meet;
Each act he essayed when he stayed was complete—
The mazes that lay all around him he trod
As only he may who is led by his God.

And so we put Dewey
Above all the rest
Of all the war's heroes,
Proclaiming him best;
We hear Dewey's name,
And our breasts are aflame
With love for the grizzled old tar;
We have got him enshrined
In each heart and each mind,
As Lincoln and Washington are—
Straightforward and simple above all the rest,
With a grandeur that touches the lowliest breast.

—S. E. Kiser in Cleveland Leader.

## Few Suggestions For the Women.

Men marry maidens, but they are married by widows.

A man who is cynical at 27 is apt to be foolish at 40.

Business and friendship rarely form a happy combination.

Don't pick out for your friend an individual at whom dogs growl.

Oh, did you see the button man in his English walking hat?

The woman who can let two whole hours elapse without patting her back hair is a wonder.

It is the most confirmed bargain hunter who can find any joy in shopping these humid days.

If we were paid what we consider we deserve every one else would declare that we were overpaid.

It is all very well to talk of loving one's enemies, but we are much more apt to love those who love us.

Even though time and tide refuse to wait for a man, it does not follow that a woman will not wait for him.

A woman can as quickly feel when a man is falling in love with her as when he is falling out of love with her.

A man cannot surround with a halo of romance the girl who chews gum while he is declaring his tender passion.

And now young men are given "coming out" parties, but they do not dress for the part as the feminine debutante does.

When a man declares that a woman's hand is the most precious thing that he can hold he forgets all about a royal flush.

A woman friend is a treasure so long as she is a friend, but when she turns there is nothing that can equal her animosity.

The first day of work after a vacation is a veritable grind, but it is some consolation to know that labor grows easier with practice.

The saddest time in a woman's life is when her son tells her that there is a love in his heart other than that which has been hitherto his mother's sole possession.

And now the young woman who left town in June with ebon locks is promenading Broadway a rare blonde. She went away for a change, and evidently found what she sought.

To fully understand the littleness of human nature join a card playing club of women who individually mean to win the prize, not for its value, but simply owing to the spirit of play.

Curved balls are said to be a product of Yale College. The high ball is a product of a higher civilization. The Observer trusts that only her masculine readers will understand this paragraph.

Do not think that because a woman is brown and freckled that she has had a long season at the seashore. She may have acquired these adjuncts in her own back yard or on her bicycle.

## Points About People and Events.

Lord Esme Gordon, brother and heir apparent of the Marquis of Huntly, has been fined in the Maidenhead Police Court for assaulting a truckman and for using obscene language to a policeman.

A famous Italian surgeon, Professor Eurico Bottini, has given up his practice for the reason, as he explained in a public card, that he was "oppressed by the weight of the income tax imposed, and no longer able to meet it."

An Oregon Sheriff made service of papers on the defendant in a foreclosure suit by forwarding the document to the defendant's address at Cavite, Philippine Islands. The defendant is First Lieutenant of a company of Oregon volunteers.

Fifteen years ago William Glenn of Powhatan county, Virginia, was a dark mulatto. His color has been gradually changing ever since, and now he is white with the exception of a few spots on his face and neck. He says that he has never been sick.

Charles Lowery of Portland, Me., when only 17 years old, enlisted with his father and five brothers, and all seven served through the civil war. He again enlisted at the time of the Virginius affair, and in the present war he has been a sailor in the blockading fleet off the south coast of Cuba.

Colonel Hutton, who has been appointed commander in chief of the Canadian military forces, was under fire for the first time in the Zulu war of 1879. He also took part in the Boer war, and such good work did he perform there that he was selected for similar duties in the Egyptian campaign of 1882. At the battle of Tel-el-Kebir his horse was killed under him. In 1896 he was president of the military conference in Australia, and since then he has been Assistant Adjutant General in Ireland.

Prince Bismarck's brain, according to the estimate of the anthropologist, Otto Ammon, was probably the heaviest known to anatomical science. Herr Ammon, in consultation with Professor Schafer, the sculptor, concluded from the measurements taken for Schafer's bust that the brain of the old statesman weighed 1,867 grammes, and consequently exceeded in weight that of any known genius. Cuvier's brain weighed 1,830 grammes, Byron's 1,807, Kant's 1,650, Schiller's 1,630 and Dante's 1,420. The average weight of the brain of an intelligent European is only 1,350 grammes.

Says the Philadelphia Times: "It is nearly sixty-seven years since the death of Stephen Girard. Thanks to the wise beneficence which inspired the disposition of his large fortune, the good it was designed to do grows with the lapse of years. The college he established is now educating and maintaining some 1,600 orphan boys; the fund he left for the improvement of the harbor is now being applied for the construction of modern wharves and a broad street along the water front, of which the city of Philadelphia will have reason to be proud; and the latest instance of public benefit from Girard's wisely bestowed bounty is the transformation of his old farm in the southwestern section of the city into a public park."

## Something to Make You Smile.

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Sign Language.—"How did Eleanor announce her engagement to the family?"
"She just wiggled the finger that had on the diamond ring."

Picturesquely Considered.—"Have you been interested in the war, Mrs. Chipper?"
"Yes; I've enjoyed it so much."

Knew It Was Something Like That.—"What happened to Jones?"
"Nine people out of ten called him Smith."

HIGH LIGHTS.

To err is human; to make amends for the error is abnormal.

The idle always think they will feel like working tomorrow.

The child that really loves to go to school is too delicate to go.

We love to borrow trouble, because we are never asked to return it.

If everybody had a sense of humor stupid people couldn't make a living.

Invalids outlive healthy people because invalids take care of themselves.

The best woman living might be a dangerous flirt if she were better looking.

A bandbox after it is wrapped up looks more like a bandbox than it did before.

Man understands woman well enough to admit that he doesn't understand her.

It is well to be honest, so that we can believe the world is not all made up of thieves.

No picnic is a success unless every woman present gets a piece of the cake she made herself.

## ESTATES MUST PASS PROBATE.

### Supreme Court Reverses the Case of Mrs. Fannie A. Bell.

The practice of making deeds and gifts contingent upon death has been dealt a severe blow by a decision of the Supreme Court just returned to Alameda county. The suit under consideration was that of the estate of Mrs. Fannie A. Bell.

It was about three years ago that Mrs. Bell, having a presentment that she was soon to die, deposited in the Oakland Bank of Savings, $6,350, stipulating that upon her death it should pass to her two sisters.

A short time after Mrs. Bell died on the way home from church. The two sisters, Mrs. C. Booth and Amelia Jones, demanded the money but it was refused. The case was tried before Judge Ellsworth who gave judgment to the heirs.

The Supreme Court today reversed this decision.

## MEMORIAL SERVICES BY THE PRESBYTERIANS.

### Interesting Program to Be Given at the First Church in This City.

The services next Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church will be memorial in character; commemorative of the first communion services in the First Presbyterian Church in Oakland. That service took place on Sunday, September 4th, 1853, Dr. Bell officiating. Next Sunday morning, September 4th, Dr. Coyle will preach from the same text as Dr. Bell chose in that first communion forty-eight years ago, namely, "And They Crucified Him," Mark xv, 25.

On Wednesday, September 7th, there will be a memorial meeting at which various papers will be read, and addresses appropriate to the occasion. Mrs. Walsworth, the wife of Dr. Walsworth, who organized the church and was the first to preach to the congregation, will be present, and will read a paper. It is expected that Mrs. Bell, the wife of Dr. Bell, the officiating clergyman at the first communion, will also be present and take part in the exercises. Mr. Aldrich, the only surviving member of the first six members with which the church was organized, will be present.

### Army and Navy League.

The regular weekly meeting of the Army and Navy Republican League will be held at Becker's Hall to-morrow evening at 8 P. M. The meetings of the League are interesting and the indications are that the great work it performed for McKinley and the Republican party in 1896, which was the greatest ever done by the organization, will be duplicated in this campaign.

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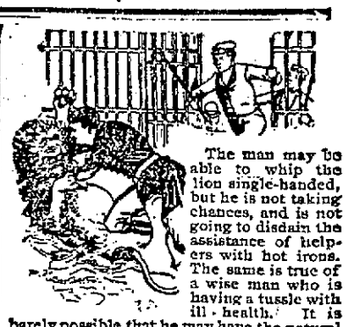

The man may be able to whip the lion single-handed, but he is not taking chances, and is not going to disdain the assistance of helpers with hot irons. The same is true of a wise man who is having a tussle with ill-health. It is barely possible that he may have the natural inherent resisting power that will enable him to conquer disease without the assistance of medicine, but he is not willing to take the chances and will not disdain the help of the right remedy.

When a man feels out-of-sorts, when his head is achey, dull and heavy, his body lazy, his nerves jerky, his sleep broken, his appetite finicky, his skin sallow, his breath foul and his mouth bad-tasting, he is having a struggle with ill-health. If he is wise he will take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It gives edge to the appetite and makes the digestion perfect. It invigorates the liver. It makes rich, red, pure blood. It puts vim into every organ and fiber of the body. It drives out all impurities and disease germs. It imparts the glow of health to the skin and the vigor of youth to the muscles. It tones the nerves and gives refreshing sleep. It builds firm flesh, but does not raise the weight above Nature's normal. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. All medicine stores sell it. An honest dealer will not suggest a worthless substitute for the sake of a little extra profit.

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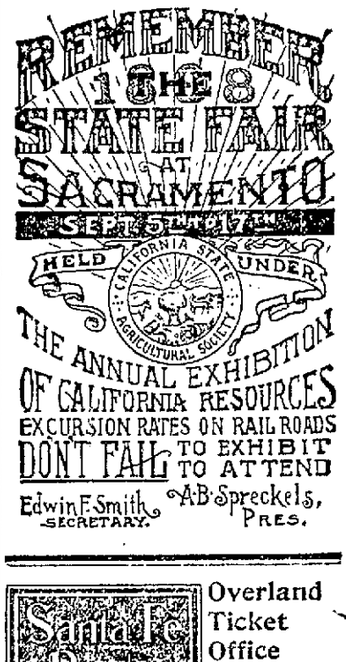




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### WHEELMAN'S FEAST A SUCCESS.

### A Banquet Tendered to Ex-Captain Feckham Last Evening.

All is in readiness at the Reliance Club for tonight's entertainment, which promises to eclipse any previous effort of the club in this particular direction.

The boxing contests as arranged appear to be attractions of unusual merit, the main event being between Phil Green of the Reliance Club and Camp Barrett and Mike McCormick of San Francisco, whose ability is well known to the followers of the roped arena on both sides of the bay.

James Koster and Fatsy Corrigan are billed for a bout, and should put up a fine exhibition.

In the preliminaries, the go between "Jakey" Baumgarten and "Kid" Permien is attracting the most attention, as it is known that these youngsters have a grudge to settle.

The contests between Tom O'Donnell and Young Sharkey and Tony Williams and "Kid" McFadden will be interesting exhibitions.

Soldiers in uniform will be admitted at half price, and a large number will be on hand to cheer for Green and "Jakey."

WHEELMEN'S BANQUET.

The reunion love feast of the Reliance Wheelmen, which was held at the Louvre last evening assumed the aspect of a testimonial banquet to ex-Captain L. A. Peckham, who has recently returned from Australia, and was a grand success from every standpoint.

"Pop" Jerome presided as usual, and maintained his reputation as the champion "young old man" of the club, although Gus Lukens insisted that "Pop" saw double.

"Peck," as the ex-captain is known, told some very interesting stories of his experiences while sojourning in the land of the festive kangaroo, and his declaration that he was glad to get back to God's country and under the good old Stars and Stripes called forth prolonged applause.

Ex-Captain Phil H. Bennett made one of his usual happy talks, which, as usual, caught his fellow clubmen and caused much laughter.

Ex-Captain Ed Griffiths followed with some well chosen remarks and advice about what to eat and drink while riding. He called particular attention to the benefits of sour milk when riding on a very hot day. Of course all his information was the result of his own experience and was thankfully received by his fellows.

Judge Clift and Cal Ewing so far forgot themselves that they began making their stereotyped political speeches, but when called down by the genial "Pop" they told their experiences as bikers and were allowed to escape.

E. G. Lukens urged the members of the annex to all take a hand and assist in getting up a team that would win the next relay. He dwelt at some length upon this subject, and his remarks will no doubt bear fruit.

The Reliance orchestra enlivened the occasion, and at a late hour the meeting broke up after giving three hearty cheers and a tiger for "Peck" and the R. A. C.

# PLUMBERS OF THE CITY ENJOY A HIGH JINKS.

## First Family Meeting of a Popular Organization Brings Out a Large Number of Guests.

The first family high jinks of the Master Plumbers' Association of Oakland and Alameda was held last night at Montana Hall, Adeline station.

An interesting programme was rendered during the evening.

Frank P. Furey, president of the Oakland Association, delivered the opening address. He welcomed the members to the high jinks.

The next in order was an address by C. W. Sridale, who spoke on the advantages of organization and the condition of the plumbing trade throughout the State. A double male quartette sang the "Star Spangled Banner," and then Miss Jelda Furey rendered a vocal solo. Mr. Isaacs gave a recitation, after which Miss Alice Harding followed with a vocal selection. John L. E. Firman then delivered an address, speaking of the usefulness of the plumber and comparing his work with that of other callings.

Joseph Hansen of San Francisco gave a recitation and song, and K. Marlow rendered an excellent imitation of an Irish funeral, which produced applause and laughter from the members.

After the completion of the evening's entertainment a banquet was served in the hall. The banquet over, the chairs were cleared away for dancing.

A large representation from both the San Francisco and Alameda orders were present.

The committees were as follows: Committee of arrangements—F. P. Furey, S. G. Poorman, L. Henio, W. T. Hockins; reception committee—J. G. Poorman, W. T. Hockins, J. Cruz, C. L. Sturm, S. Crowley; floor manager, Louis Henio.

Following were some of the San Francisco visitors: Miss L. Werner, Mrs. F. Koch, Miss N. Carr, Mrs. Hoffman, Miss Koch, Mrs. H. Hufschmidt, J. H. Brooke, J. B. Butterworth, Garrett C. Sweeney, J. Ingram, L. Gray, G. Bayreuther, F. Koch, G. H. Young, I. McIntyre, F. Pigeon, I. L. E. Firmin, H. Hufschmidt, J. H. Dagneau, T. I. Hoffmann.

Among those present from Oakland and Alameda were: J. Poorman, T. Hutton, F. J. Brady, W. Stultz, Walter Young, G. T. Burtchael, G. L. Yager Jr., Mr. Penny, William Broderick and wife, Mr. Low, J. B. Cruz, J. H. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. B. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gimall, J. P. Crews, Mrs. Young, Miss M. Hair, Miss Jelda Furey, Miss Alice Harding, Mrs. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil and a great many others.

The following are the membership of the Association of Master Plumbers of the city of Oakland and Alameda county: J. N. Bonham, Stephen Brophy, William Broderick, P. H. Blake Jr., Burtchaell & Crowley, J. C. Bullock, F. J. Brady, Thos. Cannon, J. B. Cruz, C. H. Cowell, John J. Coughlin, C. C. Davison, Thomas A. Dranga, E. Planer, Eustice & Bernal, C. F. Fisher, J. E. Fisher, Frank P. Furey, W. W. Graham, Hutton & Low, Louis Heino, Thos. R. Hanson, W. F. Hockins, Louis Hufschmidt, O. C. Kirk, W. C. Kobiscus, Henry Maddern, Henry T. Maddern, M. J. Mitchell, C. L. Maxwell & Sons, Jas. Marks, Jas. McGivney, McCarl & Co., Jas. McAllister, A. H. McKown, L. Magnie, Neal & Kolich, D. A. O'Brien, Owen Bros., W. H. Pennie, J. G. Poorman, Rankin & Mohr, W. F. Schulte, C. L. Sturm, Geo. Scott, Wm. H. Smith, Wm. R. Stulz, E. R. Tutt, F. C. Walker and Geo. L. Yager.

# EARL ORDINANCE WILL LAY OVER FOR A MONTH.

## Agreement Made That All the Councilmen Be Present at That Time.

## The Question of Licensing the Merchants of the City Will Then Come to a Vote In the Council.

The proposed ordinance to impose a municipal license upon merchants and reduce the saloon license one-half will not come up before the City Council again within thirty days. The reason for this is that Councilman H. D. Rowe has gone East and it was agreed that the ordinance should not be considered until there was a full meeting of the City Fathers. This was the agreement entered into by all the members of the Council, including Earl, who fathers the measure.

Some of the Councilmen and merchants are of the opinion that it will not come up at all, but such is not the idea of Mr. Earl.

"Of course, the ordinance will be considered," Earl said to-day, "but we will wait until all members are present, for we want a record established. I have assurances that there are enough votes to carry the ordinance, and that the Mayor will sign it. We want to give everyone a show, but as far as separating the liquor from the store license, I do not see any reason for such a move. The two should be together as they are both for the purpose of revenue to the city."

In the meantime the merchants are taking time by the forelock and are hard at work getting signatures to the petition now being circulated against the proposed ordinance. The list is already a long one, but it will not be finished until every one of Oakland's prominent merchants are given an opportunity to sign.

Four of the Councilmen are known to be opposed to the ordinance, and it is believed that by the time it is ready to come up there will be a strong majority against it.

Craigie Sharp, of the Board of Trade, is securing signatures, while the merchants themselves are actively at work assisting.

The Merchants' Exchange at its next meeting will take the matter up and assist as far as possible toward defeating the measure.

The tradesmen generally do not desire to conflict with the saloon interests, but figure that as the ordinance is a blanket one, the only thing to do is either to defeat it, or have it separated so that they can then work for their own interests individually.

UNJUST TAXATION.

(By A. W. Bishop.)

Ten years ago, when the writer of this was a member of the City Council, a revision of the license ordinances was made, and the unjust tax upon merchants for the privilege of transacting a legitimate business in the city of Oakland was eliminated by a unanimous vote of the members of the Council, after a due and thorough consideration of the question pro and con.

At that time the assessed value of taxable property in the city was about $32,000,000; and the city government was conducted upon a tax rate of 95 cents on the one hundred dollars. With this rate the Council was enabled to build a new engine house, purchase a first-class fire engine, increase the force of both the fire and police departments, and enter upon and complete numerous public enterprises.

Now, with an assessment roll of some $46,000,000 and a tax rate of $1.12 on the $100, the Council proposes to revive the unjust tax upon the merchants of this city for the privilege of doing business.

The ordinance reviving this license tax upon the merchants of this city is objectionable for several reasons.

First—It is unreasonably partial. If business is to be taxed, the tax should not be limited to any particular kind of business. Why should the merchant be taxed for the privilege of doing business any more than the professions? If it is right to tax the merchant, it is right to tax lawyers, doctors, bankers, real estate dealers, mechanics, brokers, insurance agents and companies, barbers, bakers and everything else down to bootblacks.

Second—The merchants of this city are already unreasonably taxed in this: If there are funds to be raised for any charitable purpose, or for any public enterprise of whatever description, the merchants of the city are the persons first called upon—including the banks—to put up the money, which they can hardly refuse to do; and this tax is simply enormous—few have stopped to realize what an onerous tax this is; and to add a license tax to this drain upon their resources would be unjust to say the least.

Third—There would be no necessity for this tax if simple economy was observed in the administration of the business of the city, as one would, or should observe in conducting his private business affairs. This attempt to saddle upon the business men of the city a tax for the privilege of doing business is not only unjust in principle, but is proposed in order to replenish the treasury, depleted by unnecessary expenditures.

The cost of running the city government, under our present blanket charter, has been doubled in the past ten years. The City Council would do well to institute a weeding out process, reducing expenses, and introduce economy in the several departments of the city government, rather than in hunting ways and means of further taxing the people of the city.

If the city government could be run in 1888 with a 95-cent tax upon an assessment roll of $33,000,000, it ought to be run today upon, at most, the same rate of taxation with an assessment roll of $46,000,000, and save an already over-taxed community from the onerous and unjust attempt to squeeze more blood from the merchants of the city.

*Organ Recital, First Pres. Church, Miss de Fremery, Sat., 4 p. m., 25c.*

# KIHLMEYER DISCHARGED FROM JAIL.

Louis Kihlmeyer was arrested last night and detained in the city jail over night on suspicion of having fired the three shots, last Wednesday night, which so narrowly escaped wounding and perhaps killing Mrs. Danny Needham at her residence, 671 Tenth street.

This morning, however, Kihlmeyer was discharged, no complaint having been filed against him by the woman, who stated that she did not think she would charge him with the intent to take her life.

So far as known, there was no positive identification of Kihlmeyer as the would-be assailant. His detention was based on the suspicions of Mrs. Needham, who claims that she has been annoyed by Kihlmeyer's attentions to her and who, when she discouraged him, threatened her life.

Speaking on this subject and going into details which Mrs. Needham did not indulge in before, the heroine of the shooting says:

"I was standing close to the table, near the lamp, which was lighted, and I was preparing to retire. My bedroom is in the room opposite, where I was standing. There wasn't any warning, and I don't remember hearing anything before the first shot, except the little dogs moving around in the yard.

"There was a sudden flash, a shock and crash and I felt a bullet whiz by me. It seemed so close that I thought it cut my dress. Two more shots came quickly, and the shock frightened me so I could not move.

"When the shooting stopped I turned and ran into the hall. The folks upstairs were aroused and sent for a policeman.

"There is only one man who would have done this thing, and he is Kihlmeyer. He forced his attentions upon me and compelled me to go to the police and complain of his actions. I do not know whether or not to prosecute him. This thing is already so disagreeable that I dread further notoriety."

Kihlmeyer when taken into custody asserted his innocence, and denied having threatened Mrs. Needham. He declared that he had been on friendly terms with Mrs. Needham and that she once made an appointment with him.

He further declared that he was at home at the time of the shooting.

Speaking on the subject, Kihlmeyer said: "As I understand it, Mrs. Needham was standing by her dining-room table about 10 o'clock when some one fired through the rear window, the blind of which was drawn. Three shots were fired altogether. Now, I can prove that I was home from 8 till 10 o'clock last night. I lay upon a sofa in my room during that time and my mother sat within three feet of me. Shortly after 10 o'clock I left and went to the Venezia Gardens, the beer hall on Seventh street, between Clay and Jefferson. There I played cards with Jeff Scanlan and a couple of strangers till midnight. I can prove by my mother and Scanlan that I would not have time to go to the Needham home from the time I left my own home and the time I arrived at the Venezia Gardens. I am the victim of circumstances, that is all."

Casabonne of the Venezia Gardens corroborates Kihlmeyer's story with respect to the whereabouts of the young man from 10 to 12 o'clock on the night of the shooting, and his mother corroborates his story as to the time between the hours of 8 and 10 P. M.

Mrs. Strom, who lives in the house on Ninth street adjoining the lot through which the would-be assassin made his escape, says the shooting took place a few minutes after 9 o'clock, because she remembers that she was waiting for the ringing of the 9 o'clock bell, and after it had rung she remembers hearing the shots and seeing a man jump over the fence of the adjoining lot on Ninth street and run rapidly east on Ninth street.

Mrs. Needham says she fears that when her husband hears of the shooting he will come home and that then there will be trouble if Kihlmeyer remains around.

Kihlmeyer is well known in town and was formerly married to Lulu Fallmer, the sister of Clara Fallmer, the young woman who shot and killed Charles Ladue in Alameda about a year and a half ago. The husband and wife were separated by a divorce.

# IMPROVEMENTS CONSIDERED BY COMMITTEEMEN.

## Discuss East Side and Several Other Sewers.

## Candy Stands Are to Be Removed From the Sidewalks.

### MRS. O'NEIL WANTS DAMAGES.

## Cross Sectioning of Lake Merritt Completed by the City Engineer.

At the meeting of tht Council committees last evening the several reports of the City Engineer and the resolutions bearing upon the improvement of the sanitary conditions of the city in conjunction with the dredging of Lake Merritt occupied the attention of the members pesent and resulted in considerable discussion.

The report of the City Engineer upon the plan for and showing proper route for the proposed sewer from the Old Ladies' Home was filed and the Engineer called attention to the fact that a right of way should be secured across the private property.

Earl asked for an opinion from the City Attorney as to the proper way to proceed.

Dow replied that it was necessary in a case like this to prepare right of way documents and get the signatures of the property owners. In this particular case the documents were already prepared and were in the hands of certain members of the Council, who were circulating them.

Ira Bishop, representing the Realty Syndicate, stated that he had taken the documents from the attorney's office and the signatures of the officers of his company had been affixed thereto.

Woodward, who had the documents, stated that he would have them, fully signed, in the hands of the committee Tuesday evening.

The Engineer was instructed to prepare blue prints for this improvement.

The matter of the Cemetery creek sewer came up and Cuvellier said the Council could do nothing until the commission had reported.

Mr. Sessions stated that the report was under way and would be submitted very soon.

The matter was laid over pending the filing of the report.

A communication from the City Engineer asking that the original plan for the Castro street sewer be abandoned was filed and the City Engineer instructed to draw up new resolution of intention for this work.

Report of City Engineer upon the resolution in regard to dredging Lake Merritt, with map showing cross-section of lake, was filed.

In another report the City Engineer showed that he had located the proposed boulevard on the eastern shore of Lake Merritt, and recommended that the Council order this boulevard constructed at the time they dredge Lake Merritt and use the mud pumped from the lake to fill in after having constructed a retaining wall to keep the deposit in place.

Earl stated that he understood that Mr. Bates of the Piedmont Paving Company had offered to furnish rock for this work at a cost which was but little in excess of the cost of hauling, and asked Mr. Bates, who was present, if that were so.

Bates said his company had a great deal of rock which could be used for that purpose and which the city could procure at a very small cost, say about $5,000 for the whole lot.

Cuvellier called attention to the fact that the tax levy would be about $1.45 and he did not see how they could build a training wall this year.

Woodward said he thought it might be cheaper to buy land and build the boulevard on other lines.

The matter was laid over till next meeting.

The report of the City Engineer in regard to the cost of sewer from Cemetery creek outlet to main lake sewer was filed, and on motion of Pringle, the City Attorney was instructed to draw up an ordinance appropriating $8,500 for the work.

The City Engineer's report to the effect that it would cost $30,000 to construct the main outlet sewer for the east side sewers of ironstone pipe called forth considerable discussion.

E. C. Sessions cautioned the members against making a false step in this direction. He said the matter should be carefully considered, as this plan was following the lines laid down in the report of Engineer Herring. The conditions upon which his report was made do not exist owing to the fact that the tidal canal has not been built. If the canal should be built this plan would be all well and good, as the tides from San Leandro bay would ebb and flow through it and thus wash the sewage out into the bay, but if the canal were not built and the city should have built this outlet sewer it would simply have thrown money away, as a part of it would have to be abandoned and an intercepting marginal sewer would have to be built.

Ira Bishop stated for the information of those present that Senator Perkins had told him that he was satisfied that the tidal canal would be built within two years.

Sessions suggested that the sewer be built of stone pipe to where the marginal sewer would be placed if it became necessary to build one, and the balance be of temporary construction.

Pringle was in favor of appropriating enough money to construct the stone sewer as far as Eighth steet and building a redwood sewer from there to the point in the estuary.

The City Engineer was instructed to make a supplemental report upon these lines.

A protest was read from the property owners against the proposed improvement of West Eighteenth street between Adeline and Union streets.

John P. Irish and Attorney J. K. Peirsol appeared for the protestants.

Colonel Irish said his objection was that when the street was completed at the expense of the property owners it would not be accepted by the city, and would be left in the hands of the property owners for care. He did not consider it fair, he said, to pave a street at the expense of abutting property holders. He said he had no objection to paving his share of the street if the city would keep it in repair when finished. He stated further that the burden of the cost of this improvement would be too great for some to bear. One lady in particular who was a pensioner had no way of meeting her assessment, and it would work a great hardship upon her.

Attorney Peirsol appeared particularly for a lady who had no means of meeting the assessment, as she had no income more than what was necessary for her maintenance, and, as her property was mortgaged, the improvement of this street would mean that her property would have to be sold and she would lose her home.

Henneberry was extremely anxious to have the work done, as he said the street was the most direct to the Sixteenth-street depot and was almost impassable, but the matter was finally laid over six months upon motion of Woodward.

Attorney Ben Woolner appeared in behalf of Mrs. Johanna O'Neal, who asked in a petition for $500 damages sustained by her by reason of an accident caused by a rotten plank in a bridge on Weston avenue in the annexed district, which resulted in the loss of her horse, as its leg was broken and the animal was shot.

Mrs. O'Neal was placed upon the stand and testified under oath as to the extent of her injuries and damages. She said the horse was worth $60; that it would cost $7 to repair the shaft, and $3 to repair the dash-board.

Earl asked for an opinion from the City Attorney on the responsibility of the city pending the settlement of the suit which was before the courts at the present time to determine whether or not this district was a portion of the city.

Dow stated the presumption was that this was a part of the city, but if the courts held that it was not, the county and not the city would be responsible.

Superintendent of Streets Miller stated that he had driven over the bridge a few days previous to the accident, and there was nothing to indicate that the bridge was unsafe. He had also examined it the day following the accident and found that a weak spot existed in that one place and the horse had unfortunately stepped upon that particular spot.

Dr. T. Olmstead testified to the condition of Mrs. O'Neal, which went to show that while severely bruised she had not sustained a permanent injury.

Woolner said it seemed to him that there was just cause for action against the city if the Council failed to settle the claim.

Woodward suggested that $100 would be an ample amount for her, and Girard thought it should be $150.

Earl suggested that the matter go over till next meeting, when Drs. Pierce and Dunn could be present. Such was the order.

In regard to Adams street opening, Pringle said protestants had come to an agreement about putting the street through, and he thought the Council should take immediate action before they changed their minds. He introduced a resolution directing City Engineer to draw up a resolution of intention for the opening of Perry street, which was recommended.

Judge Yule addressed the Street Commission and called attention to the fact that since Eighteenth street had been filled in there was no outlet for the water above Fourth avenue and said Fourth avenue should be filled in before winter.

He was advised that a resolution of intention was before the Board of Works and that the work would soon be under way.

Resolutions were disposed of as follows:

Authorizing the Board of Works to construct crosswalks across East Fourteenth street and Seventeenth avenue was recommended, the work to be done with bitumen.

Authorizing City Engineer to prepare plans for a retaining wall along the estuary between Twelfth and Eighth street and the Eighth street bridge was recommended, after it was so amended, to include the Eighth street bridge.

Reconsidering action of Council in regard to compromising suit of Mary Kelly was laid over.

Instructing the City Attorney to make a survey and prepare plans of the City Hall property was amended to include amount of bill for work and favorably recommended.

Authorizing Board of Works to rent quarters for the Pound. Recommended.

Authorizing Sanitary Inspector to hire a horse. Laid over.

Authorizing Board of Works to construct an iron fence around the plaza surrounding Chabot Observatory was rejected on the grounds that it was a matter for the Board of Education.

A communication from the Board of Health in regard to insurance for the laboratory of the Board was filed and recommended that a resolution be prepared appropriating the amount of premium.

A majority protest having been filed against the improvement of Willow street, all proceedings were ordered rescinded.

A petition from Mrs. Joe Scott asking that some action be taken to abate the nuisance caused by the candy stand at Thirteenth and Washington streets was referrd to the Superintendent of Streets with instructions to clear the sidewalk.

The petition from P. H. Buning to be allowed to raise building at 836 Clay street and place another story under it was granted.

The proposal of the East Oakland Contracting and Paving Company for work on Third and Henry streets was accepted, also that of William Heafey for a sewer in Seventeenth avenue.

Resolution of intention to sidewalk Twenty-sixth street from San Pablo Twenty-sixth street from Southern Pablo avenue to Market street and Oakland avenue from Hamilton Place to Twenty-sixth street were recommended.

The petitions for sewers in Opal street, Telegraph avenue, and Silver street, together with resolutions of intention to sewer Diamond street and Telegraph avenue were referred to the City Engineer.

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# SEVERE BLOW TO THE CANADIAN PACIFIC.

### Interstate Commerce Commission Decides It Is Not Entitled to Differentials.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—The Interstate Commerce Commission in the Canadian Pacific Passenger rate case decided today that the Canadian Pacific is not entitled to the differential passenger rates contended for.

### Winter Cotillion Club.

The Winter Cotillion Club has been reorganized by Miss Alys Miller, and will hold the first meeting Saturday evening, October 1st, in Reed Hall. The following ladies are the patronesses: Mrs. H. P. Gregory, Mrs. P. Kenna, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. W. T. Burton.

### Matrimonial Mismates.

William Abner Walker has commenced suit for a divorce from Mabel K. Walker on the ground of desertion. There are no property interests or children.

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### HUMID HEAT WORSE THAN FEVER.

### Surrender of Santiago Was Better Than Taking the City By Assault.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The World prints an interview with General Shafter in which he is reported as saying:

"At Santiago we had to deal with things as they were, not as they should have been. Of course there was sickness. It was inevitable in a summer campaign. But nobody was neglected. The doctors were scarce at first, but we had boat-loads of them as soon as they could get there. The doctors got sick like the rest. They were overworked and exhausted, but their ability was unquestionable. Look at the low percentage of deaths from wounds. It never was lower in any war. Why, in the Civil War I lay on the battlefield myself until maggots developed in my wounds, and was right near by, not down in a malarial, sub-tropical country, far away.

"The men who ordered a summer campaign in a fever-infested country are responsible for the natural and unavoidable consequences.

"None of our wounded were allowed to lie on the battlefield as I was in the Civil War. Nothing of the kind happened. Anaesthetics were plentiful.

"It was the heat that was so deadly and the rains. Right in the midst of the torrid heat a shower would fall. It would drench everybody without cooling the air. In a few minutes, under the sun again, every man would be steaming. Men of the strongest constitutions succumbed.

"Our first case of yellow fever developed at El Caney. But the army was ripe for it, and it spread like a prairie fire. Many a man had yellow fever who never will know it. And to tell the truth, it is not so dangerous as the calentura or heat attacks that unacclimated men have in the malarious regions of Cuba. Why, it is a common thing for a man's temperature to rise from a normal state to 105 in a few hours. That means death in most cases.

"It can give cards and spades to yellow fever in the game of death. I would rather have yellow fever. I tell you when a man burns up inside there's little hope for him.

"Our men were all unacclimated. They never had faced constant sun. Many of them never had slept outside before they went into camp. How could they be moulded into proper material for such climate and such a campaign? It could not be done. These men you see coming back with the thin bodies are suffering from the parasite of the low fever of the Santiago plateaus.

"The cool air and good home care will cure them. That malady seems to destroy the red corpuscles in the blood. The veins are filled with water. There's a man on deck suffering just that way. Take a good look at him. If he were pale you would say he was in the last stages of tuberculosis. But he is as yellow as his uniform. Very well; he has it. He is weak and will require care. But good air in a decent climate will make him well again. He has had the fever within three weeks. He does not know how narrow has been his escape from death. Wait till October, or better still, the first frost. They will be all right when they get wholesome, nutritious food.

"We had to choose the lesser of the two evils—to ship the men north to a healthy climate, not wanting to keep them where they must die. We at the front did not wait to let the fever have its run. We wanted to save life. Now, the problem was to save the most lives possible. We have never had a foreign war since 1812-14. The United States has no hospital ships. It was not a question of using what was best, but what we had. We used the transports that brought the troops down.

"If I could have had a few weeks to equip hospital ships, the conditions would have been better. If the war had continued we would have stayed right there, fever or no fever. The sudden end of the war was unexpected. We were not prepared for the unexpected. I made it an invariable rule to send home 25 per cent less on a transport than she had brought south. That was a fair view to take.

"I am satisfied with the Santiago campaign. When it is fully understood, with all its difficulties, it will receive a just place in military history. We were hurried off to Cuba. We landed and could not have gotten our stores back on board if we wanted to. When the invasion was planned, it was obvious that it must be a rush such as it was.

"And it was a success—complete and unequivocal. Many things were done, it is true, that were forced upon us by the exigencies of the hour, but the means employed even under such stress proved to be wisely chosen. I was compelled to do a great many things that under different circumstances would not have been considered.

"I sized up the Spaniards correctly. For example, at San Juan I was sure they would not come out from their works and attack us. The El Caney fight I hoped would be finished at 10 A. M., but it took until 5 o'clock, and I rather feel now that it was for the best. Had I had Lawton on the right of the line we would have undoubtedly taken the city of Santiago that night, in which case only the garrison would have surrendered to us, whereas, later, all the troops in the region surrendered. The men outside of Santiago on July 2d could have gone to General Pando. I knew that the war was over as soon as Toral spoke to me about surrendering the troops in the eastern province. I almost fell over.

"We never had on the fighting line at any one time more than 13,000 men, and with these we captured 27,000.

"Nine thousand Spaniards were fortified in the best intrenched positions I ever saw. Indeed, the intrenchments were of such a character that shelling with guns we had did not do them serious damage. When a 13-inch shell from our ships dropped into a house in the town it demolished the dwelling; but all the occupants were gone."

"Did Cervera's men help in the San Juan fight?" was asked, to clear up a mooted point.

"Yes, indeed. He had 1,000 men ashore from his fleet in the battle of July 1st. His chief of staff, Bustamente, was killed. His marines and sailors suffered severely. Cervera put them all back on board July 2d and on the 3d he tried to get to sea.

"The Spaniards were down to their last bit of rice when they surrendered, but they declined on the first day to accept rations offered to them. They said that American charity humiliated them, but I noticed that they came around for the grub on the second day."

"Why was your food supply short before San Juan?"

"I had to act quickly and shove my men right into the field, because I knew they were growing weaker and weaker every hour. We had plenty of rations unloaded at the shore, but there was only a single road, hub deep in mud, over which they could be brought to the front, and if we had a good army wagon we could not have got the provisions where they were needed. Pack trains saved us. They were invaluable."

"What is the condition of Santiago to-day?" was asked.

"It is in a fair state of health," replied General Shafter.

"Under the military Governorship now in existence it will be soon cleaned and made thoroughly healthy. It is a pretty town, but the surrounding country is in a state of wreck. You can't imagine the destitution of the island of Cuba."

"What do you think of the Spanish hospitals?"

"Those in Santiago are as good as any in the world. My surgeons tell me they inspected them carefully and never saw better sanitary arrangements. The chief hospital there will hold 2,000 patients comfortably, and during the investment of the city at one time held 3,000 men. The barracks are not so satisfactory, but they are being thoroughly overhauled by our troops. The city is growing quiet."

"Did you see any reconcentrados?"

"Only a few. I fear that most of them are dead. But the death rate in Santiago has dropped from eighty a day to thirty-five, and most of the deaths are of old people or children who had not recovered from the starvation which they had endured."

"When will the military occupation of the island occur?"

"Some time in the latter part of October," was the answer.

"You asked me about the use of cavalry in Cuba, and I reply that if we have to go down there and fight the Cuban guerrillas, we shall want the cavalry beyond question. Otherwise not. I hope that small garrisons of infantry scattered over the country will suffice."

"How about the western part of the island?" was the next inquiry.

"Havana will certainly be garrisoned and everything possible will be done to render the city healthy and revive its prosperity. The western provinces are ready for agriculture and crops can be put in at any time."

"General Shafter was fully informed regarding the controversy between General Miles and Secretary Alger. He was surprised and said it was the first hint he had had of anything of the kind. He knew nothing about the causes or the merits of the controversy.

"What troops are left to garrison Santiago?"

"The only troops of the Fifth Corps that were left were the Twenty-fourth Infantry, the remainder of the Ninth Massachusetts, about 100 recruits and the last of the sick and wounded. These were to have left on the day after the Mexico sailed and are to reach here to-morrow or next day. This completes the withdrawal of the army of invasion, which was composed of the Fifth Corps. The garrison duty is in other hands. The Fifth Army Corps flag will fly over Camp Wikoff to-morrow."


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# HOSPITAL TRAIN FOR OHIO'S SICK.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 2.—At 8:40 o'clock this morning the Ohio hospital train pulled out for the South to gather up and return to their homes the sick Ohio soldiers. Governor Bushnell was at the depot, but did not accompany the train. It is the intention to go direct to Lakeland and Fernandina, Fla., where the first soldiers will be taken on board. The train will return by way of Huntsville, Ala., Chickamauga, and Knoxville, Tenn., and will visit any other points where there may be sick Ohioans. It is expected the trip will occupy six days.

# BON-BON BOX WAS SOLD IN SAN FRANCISCO.

## Latest Discovery in the Dunning Poisoning Case.

### Deadly Confections Bought of George Haas on Market Street.

### GRAND JURY INVESTIGATING.

### How Mrs. Botkin Wanted to Destroy Some Samples of Her Penmanship.

One feature was cleared up yesterday in the poisoning case of Mrs. Dunning and Mrs. Deane of Dover, Del., and that was as regards the place where the poisoned candy was made and where the box containing it was purchased. The store in which both were sold is that of George Haas, 810 Market street, which is located in the Phelan building.

Yesterday a number of San Francisco confectioners were examined at the police headquarters for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not they could throw any light on the subject. A number of catalogues was also looked into, and it was apparent that boxes of the kind in question were in the catalogue of Jones & Co., a firm in Philadelphia. Chief of Police Lees telegraphed that firm and asked if it had sold any boxes of the kind specified in this city. An answer was immediately received that boxes of that pattern had been sold to George Haas of San Francisco.

Haas was then seen, and the candy and box were shown to him. He identified both, asserting that the box was originally of a bluish tint, but that it had faded because of exposure to the sun in the window.

The chocolate creams which were found in the box were identically the same in color, texture and shape as those made by Haas, as was demonstrated by a comparison of them with other chocolates purchased at that place yesterday.

Mr. Haas was asked as to how he would explain the insertion of poison into the bonbons, and said that the surface of the creams was perforated with a knife blade by the poisoner, and the arsenic was then inserted and the surface was smoothed over with the blade.

Mr. Haas regrets the discovery that the candy was purchased in his place, and has cautioned all his employes to say nothing about the circumstance until he can, if possible, discover which of his clerks made the sale and what kind of woman was the purchaser.

Some of the employes seem to think that it would be impossible for any of the clerks to thoroughly identify the purchaser at this late date.

The case against Mrs. Botkin was inquired into yesterday by the Grand Jury, a number of witnesses being examined, but it is believed that only such facts as have already been published were brought out in the inquiry.

Mrs. Rauof, who was the nurse of Mrs. Botkin, and who was one of the witnesses before the Grand Jury, asserts that she will do injustice to no one. With this determination, speaking of a circumstance which occurred in her experience with Mrs. Botkin, she says:

"It seems strange to me that Mrs. Botkin has been so anxious to have all scraps of her handwriting destroyed. When she came to me in Stockton, two weeks ago, she asked me if I had in my possession any letters she had ever written to me. I told her no—I felt sure I had destroyed them all. 'That is right,' said she, 'be sure you do.'

"I sent a telegram for her at that time, and insisted upon her writing out the message herself. She did so, but made very sure that I destroyed the original copy. She did not want anything written by her hand to be secured. It certainly looked very suspicious."

As the writing of Mrs. Botkin will cut quite a figure in this case, this statement of Mrs. Rauof has received quite an amount of attention from the officers who are working up the circumstances of the alleged crime.

### Slipped On a Peel.

Ann Daly, a domestic, forty-seven years of age slipped on a banana peel in front of the Tenth street engine house last evening and sustained a broken hip. She was removed to the Receiving Hospital where Doctors Stratton and Milton set the bone and made her as comfortable as possible.


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| 8:04 a | Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon | 5:45 p |
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| 5:10 a | Peters, Oakdale and Jamestown | 6:39 p |
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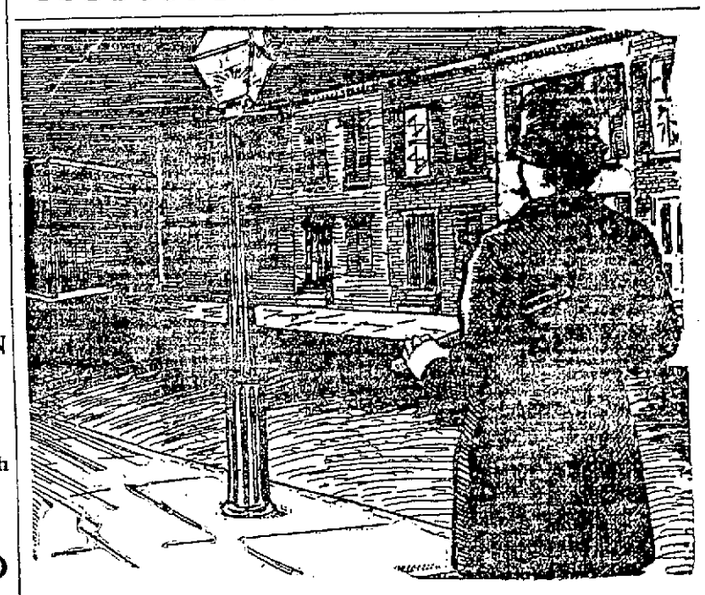


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### Little Competition in Bidding at Present Because Figures Are Down Very Low.

The concensus of opinion among local architects, contractors and builders, though admitting the stagnation in the building enterprises in Oakland, presages better times in the near future. This sanguine hope is based upon the fact that many new structures are in contemplation, and as soon as business in general thrives, the first fruits will be their erection. Not a few of the contracting firms attribute the unusual sluggishness of the market to the failure of crops in the country sections round about.

Although there is some building being done in the city, indeed, quite enough, according to the ideas of some, to sustain the building industry were there a profit in it, every contract is being handled at such a small margin that there is slight, if any, emolument to the contractor. This may be proven by the lack of competition. Some builders readily confess that they are handling business at a loss merely to hold up their end and gain patronage. There are but few exceptions to the rule at present.

J. S. Burpee is one of the hopeful ones. He said to a Tribune reporter that he believed he could foresee improved conditions. He knew that more men were now talking of prospective plans than a few months ago. This might be taken as a favorable indication. Mr. Burpee declared that the present market is unprofitable.

"There is not enough in the contracts let out to-day," he said, "to warrant a man's entering competition. But these conditions will soon change. The prospect is hopeful."

Among the dwelling houses in course of construction is a $2,000 structure owned by W. R. and Grace A. Newman. The Alameda Land Company holds the contract. The edifice will be a two-story frame house situated at San Antonio avenue and Walnut street, Alameda. The contract calls for its completion the last of October.

Louis Selby has awarded to C. Christensen a contract for a $1120 two-story frame structure at Nineteenth and West streets. Specifications have been filed.

At Isabella street and San Pablo avenue, R. W. Rupe is erecting a two-story frame dwelling-house to cost $1600. W. A. Forbes is handling the contract. The specifications have been filed.

Beside these, Caldwell & Nickerson are busy on the new Tutt's building on Thirteenth street, which is nearly completed.

B. C. Allyn is handling the contract for the Creamery building at Eleventh and Clay streets.

Anderson and Creig have finished an elegant residence on Alice street.

Contractor J. M. Shay is busy with the new engine house at West Oakland.

Cameron & Macdonald have the largest contract in the market at present in the erection of the Sacred Heart Church of Temescal at Fortieth and Grove streets.

J. A. Smillie, president of the Builder's Exchange, has left for the East on a pleasure trip. He will journey through Canada and return about Christmas time.

The club house at the Oakland Race Track is well under way. The cost will reach very nearly $4,000. M. J. Lyon is the architect.

J. T. Varracaulgt is building a fine home at Piedmont. It will be a two-story house of pronounced originality.

The old Tutt building on Thirteenth street near Broadway is being overhauled and remodeled by Abrahamson Brothers at an expense of $3,895. Charles Mau is the architect.

Beside these, there is a $1,280 cottage at Fifteenth street and Eighteenth avenue, owned by D. C. Talbott.

Mary Ellen is erecting a $4,400 dwelling house at Eighth and Madison streets. A. Thompson and Company are the contractors.

C. W. McClelland has a $1,240 frame structure at Kirkham and Fourteenth streets well under way, A. W. Smith, architect.

In the Hamilton Place a five-room cottage is being built at an outlay of $1,100.

In the Littlefield tract is a six-room cottage owned by John Conant, being erected for $1615.

On Seventh street, near Center, Charles F. McDermot is having a $1,699.50 house built.

## STATE EQUALIZERS FINISH THEIR WORK.

### The Tax-Rate Will Be Agreed to Early Next Week

The labors of the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento were completed yesterday, save with respect to the fixing of the tax rate, and this matter will be attended to early next week. The roll, this year, shows an increase over that of last year by about $40,000,000, which, considering the bad crops from which the State has suffered, is looked upon as an excellent showing.

On the question of equalizing the Board was divided. Messrs. Morehouse, Chesebrough and Colgan felt that any cutting down of the rolls of interior counties would lead to a demoralization of the roll, or else to the necessity of sweeping reductions all along the line. Beamer and Arnold, on the other hand, claimed that several counties in their respective districts were assessed higher in proportion than other counties in the State. Beamer argued that he had told Assessors in his district not to pay any attention to the action of the State Board in 1897, when it reached forty-two counties, but to go ahead and assess at what property was fairly worth, and the Board would see that no injustice was done. His advice, he said, had been taken in some counties and disregarded in others. San Francisco, he thought, was under assessed, and in order to equalize, the assessment of interior counties should be reduced. Arnold held practically the same views.

Morehouse, Chesebrough and Colgan thought that the assessment was about as equal as it would be if Arnold and Beamer were successful in their plan. Chesebrough moved to allow the roll to remain as returned by county auditors. Morehouse seconded, and, Colgan voting with them, the motion was carried. Arnold and Beamer voted in the negative.

The assessment roll this year is now fixed at $1,035,004,868 for all property other than railroads. Railroads are assessed at $44,457,473, making the total foll $1,130,362,341. The amount to be raised is $2,553,602 for the general fund. $2,214,563 for the school fund, $141,435 for the interest and sinking fund, and 2 cents on each $100 for the State University. To raise this will require a tax levy of 48.8 cents.

## MEADORS CASE COMES UP AGAIN TOMORROW.

The preliminary examination of Meadors for the killing of Jonas Ury at Camp Barrett a couple of weeks ago, and which was to have taken place yesterday afternoon in Judge Lawrence's court, was continued until tomorrow morning, owing to the fact that many of the witnesses are soldiers in the Petaluma Company of the Eighth Infantry at Camp Barrett, who were engaged in inspection yesterday and were, as a consequence, unable to attend the hearing. The uncle of Ury was in attendance, and objected to any further continuance of the case, but the court did not feel that he could fight with success against the United States troops, hence the continuance.

It has developed since the opening of the examination that Ury, who was the son of an orthodox Hebrew in New York, was disinherited by his father because he married a Christian young woman against the expressed wishes of his parent.

## DR. SHARP'S CASE DISMISSED TODAY.

### Evidence Did Not Warrant His Being Held to Answer.

Upon motion of Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Al Moore in the Police Court this morning, Judge Allen dismissed the case of Dr. Calvin J. Sharp, charged with causing the death of Mrs. Christina Nelson by a criminal operation.


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**W. H. CHURCH**
Announces himself a Candidate for the office of
**Supervisor, Third Dist.**
Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

**ED. WEIDLER**
(Deputy Constable)
Announces himself a Candidate for
**CONSTABLE**
Of Oakland Township
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**W. S. HARLOW**
Announces himself a Candidate
—for—
**SHERIFF**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**JERE TYRREL**
Announces himself a Candidate for the office of
**Supervisor, Second Dist.**
Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

**J. W. STETSON**
Announces himself a Candidate
—for—
**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**
Of Oakland Township.
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**JAMES B. BARBER**
Announces Himself a Candidate
—FOR—
**Tax Collector**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**J. R. TALCOTT**
Announces himself a Candidate for the office of
**Supervisor, Second Dist.**
Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

**J. C. WILLIAMSON**
Announces himself a Candidate
—for—
**CONSTABLE**
Of Oakland Township.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

**JOHN F. CRONIN**
Candidate for
**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**
Of Oakland Township, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**E. L. LAWRENCE**
Candidate for
**Justice of the Peace**
[Present Incumbent]
Brooklyn Township
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**CHAS. H. SPEAR**
(Of Berkeley)
Candidate for re-election to the office of
**County Recorder**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**ROBERT G. GRAHAM**
Candidate for
**AUDITOR**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**HOWARD E. WRIGHT**
(Present incumbent)
Candidate for
**Assembly—51st Assembly District**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**WILLIAM SIMPSON**
Announces himself a Candidate for the office of
**Supervisor, Third Dist.**
Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

CANDIDATES' ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GEO. C. HUNT**
Republican Candidate
—FOR—
**SHERIFF**
OF ALAMEDA COUNTY
Resident of Oakland 26 years and one of the Republican Deputies under Ex-Sheriff McKillican.

**FRANK C. JORDAN**
(Present Incumbent)
Candidate for re-election to the office of
**COUNTY CLERK**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**ROBERT KUERZEL**
Announces Himself a Candidate
—for—
**COUNTY TREASURER**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**CLINTON G. DODGE**
Candidate for
**Assembly—51st Assembly Dist.**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**WM. H. KNIGHT,**
Candidate for the office of
**Public Administrator.**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**GEO. L. MUSBAUMER**
(Incumbent)
Candidate for the Office of
**COUNTY SURVEYOR**
of Alameda County.
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**P. M. FISHER**
Candidate for
**County Superintendent of Schools**
OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**H. W. LYNCH**
Candidate for
**County Superintendent of Schools**
OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**S. D. WATERMAN**
(Principal of Berkeley High School)
Candidate for
**County Superintendent of Schools**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**THOS. M. ROBINSON**
Announces Himself a Candidate
—FOR—
**TAX COLLECTOR**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**ROBERT N. RISDON**
Announces Himself a Candidate
—FOR—
**County Auditor**
Subject to the Decision of the Republican County Convention.

**JAS. A. WEBSTER**
(Formerly County Treasurer)
Announces himself a Candidate
—for—
**COUNTY CLERK**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**J. CAL EWING**
(Fifth Ward, Oakland)
—Candidate for—
**AUDITOR**
Subject to the Action of the Republican Convention.

**ROBERT EDGAR**
Announces himself a Candidate
—for—
**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**
Of Oakland Township.
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**HENRY A. MELVIN**
Announces himself a candidate for
**District Attorney**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**FREDERICK C. CLIFT**
Announces himself a Candidate for
**DISTRICT ATTORNEY**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**W. B. PRINGLE**
Candidate for
**Assembly—51st Assembly Dist**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**J. J. HANIFIN, JR.**
Announces himself a candidate for
**County Clerk**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

**J. J. ALLEN**
Candidate for
**District Attorney**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

LEGAL.

# PROCLAMATION.

State of California,
Executive Department,
Sacramento, July 30, 1898.

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-second session, beginning on the fourth day of January, A. D. 1897, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, proposed the following described amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to-wit:

### Amendment Number One.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section eighteen of article eleven of the Constitution, in relation to revenue and taxation, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 18. No county, city, town, township, board of education or school district shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner or for any purpose exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for it for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, nor, unless before, or at the time of incurring such indebtedness, provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same; provided, however, that the city and county of San Francisco may at any time pay the unpaid claims with interest thereon for materials furnished to and work done for said city and county during the forty-third and forty-fourth fiscal years, out of the income and revenue of any succeeding year or years; provided, that any and all claims for making, repairing, altering, or for any work done upon or for any material furnished for any street, lane, alley, court, place or sidewalk, or for the construction of any sewer or sewers in said city and county are hereby excepted from the provisions of this section; and in determining any claim permitted to be paid by this section, no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner; and provided further, that the city of Vallejo, in Solano county, may pay its existing indebtedness incurred in the construction of its water-works, whenever two-thirds of the electors thereof voting at an election held for that purpose, shall so decide. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision, with the exception hereinbefore recited, shall be void.

### Amendment Number Two.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section seven and one-half, article eleven thereof, providing for the framing, by the inhabitants of counties, of local county government acts for their own government. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 7½. The inhabitants of any county may frame a county government act for their own government, relating to the matters hereinafter specified, and consistent with, and subject to, the Constitution and laws of this State, by causing a board of fifteen freeholders, who have been, for at least five years, qualified electors of such county, to be elected by the qualified electors of such county, at any general or special election, whose duty it shall be, within ninety days after such election, to prepare and propose a county government act for such county, which shall be signed in duplicate by the members of such board, or a majority of them, and returned, one copy thereof to the Board of Supervisors or other legislative body of such county, and the other copy to be sent to the Recorder of deeds of the county. Such proposed county government act shall then be published in two papers of general circulation in such county, or if there be not two such papers, then in one only, for at least twenty days, and within not less than thirty days after such publication it shall be submitted to the qualified electors of such county, at a general or special election, and if a majority of such qualified electors voting thereon shall ratify the same, it shall thereafter be submitted to the Legislature for its rejection or approval, as a whole, without power of alteration or amendment, and if approved by a majority of the members elected to each house, it shall be the county government act of such county, and shall in such case become the organic law thereof and supersede any existing county government act, and all amendments thereof, and all special laws inconsistent with such county government act.

A copy of such county government act, certified by the President of the Board of Supervisors or other legislative body of such county, and authenticated by the seal of such county, setting forth the submission of such county government act to the electors, and its ratification by them, shall be made in duplicate and deposited, one in the office of the Secretary of State, the other, after being recorded in the office of the Recorder of deeds in the county, among the archives of the county.

All courts shall take judicial notice thereof. The county government act so ratified may be amended, at intervals of not less than two years, by proposals therefor, submitted by the legislative authority of the county, to the qualified electors thereof, at a general or special election held at least forty days after the publication of such proposals for twenty days in a newspaper of general circulation in such county, and ratified by at least three-fifths of the qualified electors voting thereon, and approved by the Legislature as herein provided for the approval of the county government act. In submitting any such county government act, any alternative article or proposition may be presented for the choice of the voters, and may be voted on separately without prejudice to others.

It shall be competent in all county government acts framed under the authority given by this section, to provide for the manner in which, the times at which, and the terms for which the several township and county officers, other than Judges of the Superior Court, shall be elected and appointed; for their compensation; for the number of such officers, for the consolidation or segregation of offices, for the number of deputies that each officer shall have, and for the compensation payable to each of such deputies, for the manner in which, the times in which and the terms for which the members of all boards of election shall be elected or appointed; and for the constitution, regulation, compensation and government of such boards, and of their clerks and attaches; also, to prescribe the manner and method by which all elections by the people shall be conducted; and may in addition determine the tests and conditions upon which electors, political parties and organizations may participate in any primary election.

Whenever any county has, in the manner and method herein pointed out, adopted any county government act, and the same shall have been approved by the Legislature as aforesaid, the directions of sections four and five of this article providing for the uniformity of a system of county governments throughout the State, and likewise providing for the election and appointment of officers, and the regulation of their compensation, shall not apply. Said county government act shall, as to any of the matters hereinabove provided for and declared by such county government act, not be subject to any law or amendment enacted by the Legislature, except by amendment first submitted to the electors and ratified in the manner hereinabove set forth.

### Amendment Number Three.

(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section five and one-half, article six, thereby providing for the organization of a court, to be known as the Court of Claims. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The Court of Claims shall consist of any three Judges of the Superior Court, who may be requested by the Governor to hold court at the regular terms thereof. The Court of Claims shall have exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine all claims of every kind and character against the State, under such laws as may be passed by the Legislature, and its judgment thereon shall be final. The terms of the Court of Claims shall be held as follows:

In the city of Los Angeles, commencing on the second Monday of March;

In the city and county of San Francisco, commencing on the second Monday in July, and

In the city of Sacramento, commencing on the second Monday of November of each year.

The Judges holding such term of court shall receive no extra compensation therefor, but shall receive their actual expenses, to be paid out of the general fund of the State Treasury. The Legislature shall enact all laws necessary to organize such court, to provide the procedure thereof and to carry out the provisions of this section.

### Amendment Number Four.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, amending article eleven, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section number five and one-half, relating to consolidated city and county governments. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The provisions of section four and five of this article shall not, nor shall any legislation passed pursuant thereto, apply to any consolidated city and county government, now existing or hereafter formed, which shall have become, or shall become, organized under section seven, or secure a charter under section eight of this article.

### Amendment Number Five.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of section fifteen and section sixteen of article five of the Constitution of the State of California, by which it is proposed to amend said sections to read as follows:

Section 15. A Lieutenant Governor shall be elected at the same time and place and in the same manner as the Governor, and his term of office and his qualifications shall be the same. He shall be President of the Senate, but shall only have a casting-vote therein.

Section 16. In case of the impeachment of the Governor, or his removal from office, death, inability to discharge the powers and duties of his office, resignation or absence from the State, the powers and duties of the office shall devolve upon the Lieutenant Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disability shall cease. And should the Lieutenant Governor be impeached, displaced, resign, die or become incapable of performing the duties of his office, or be absent from the State, the President pro tempore of the Senate shall act as Governor until the vacancy in the office of Governor shall be filled at the next general election when members of the Legislature shall be chosen, or until such disability of the Lieutenant Governor shall cease. In case of a vacancy in the office of Governor for any of the reasons above named, and neither the Lieutenant Governor nor the President pro tempore of the Senate shall succeed to the powers and duties of Governor, then the powers and duties of such office shall devolve upon the Speaker of the Assembly, until the office of Governor shall be filled at such general election.

### Amendment Number Six.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 38.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section six, article nine of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to grammar schools, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 6. The public school system shall include primary and grammar schools, and such High schools, evening schools, Normal schools and technical schools as may be established by the Legislature or by municipal or district authority, but the entire revenue derived from the State school fund, and the State school tax, shall be applied exclusively to the support of primary and grammar schools. Grammar schools shall include schools organized in a school district, or union of school districts, having more than one thousand inhabitants, in which a course of study shall be taught which will prepare pupils to enter the agricultural, mining or scientific department of the University of California.

### Amendment Number Seven.

(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section two of article four of the Constitution, in relation to sessions of the Legislature, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 2. The sessions of the Legislature shall commence at twelve o'clock meridian on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding the election of its members, and shall be biennial unless the Governor shall in the interim convene the Legislature by proclamation. The Legislature shall then remain in session for twenty-five days, after which it must adjourn to some date not less than thirty nor more than sixty days from the time of adjournment. If the two houses fail to agree upon a time at which they will resume their session, the Governor shall, by proclamation, fix a date for such reconvening, which shall be within the limits above prescribed. Upon re-assembling, the Legislature shall complete its session. No pay shall be allowed to members for a longer period than seventy-five days, and no bill shall be introduced in either house, except at the first twenty-five days of the session, without the consent of three-fourths of the members thereof.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution, and an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act to provide for the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to the qualified electors for their approval," approved March 7, A. D. 1893, the above described proposed amendments are hereby published and advertised to be voted upon, by ballot, by the qualified electors of the State, at the election to be held throughout this State on

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, A. D. 1898.**

The said proposed amendments are to be separately voted upon in manner and form as follows:

Each ballot used at such election must contain written or printed thereon the following words, whereupon the voter may express his choice as provided by law:

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| Amendment Number One, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41, (exempting certain claims against the city and county of San Francisco, and the existing indebtedness of the city of Vallejo for the construction of its water works from the provisions of the Constitution requiring such claims to be paid from the income and revenues of the year in which they were incurred.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |
| Amendment Number Two, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10, (providing for framing local county government acts, by inhabitants of counties for their government.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |
| Amendment Number Three, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44, (providing for the creation of a Court of Claims to determine claims against the State, and to consist of three Superior Judges designated by the Governor to serve without extra compensation.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |
| Amendment Number Four, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37, (exempting consolidated cities and counties, organized or to be organized, or holding a charter under the Constitution, from certain legislation in relation to counties.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |
| Amendment Number Five, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36, (relating to office of Governor, providing for succession thereto in certain cases and removing disability of Lieutenant Governor from holding other office during term.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |
| Amendment Number Six, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 38, (relating to and defining grammar schools.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |
| Amendment Number Seven, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 34, (providing for adjournment of Legislature for not less than thirty nor more than sixty days during each session.) For the Amendment? | Yes / No |

Witness my hand and the Great Seal of the State of California, the day and year herein first above written.

JAMES H. BUDD,
Governor.

Attest:
(Seal) L. H BROWN,
Secretary of State.

# ORDINANCE NO. .....

An Ordinance Fixing the Regular Meetings of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.

The Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Regular meetings of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda shall be held at Oakland, in said county, on the first Monday of each and every month of each and every year.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen (15) days after its passage.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, at a special meeting thereof called for that purpose and held at Oakland, Alameda county, California, on the 29th day of August, 1898.

This Ordinance was passed and adopted as aforesaid by the following called vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Attest:
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk.

(Endorsed): Filed August 29th, 1898.
Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John G. Young, deceased, and for the issuance to Jesse Young of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 12th day of September, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, September 1st, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
G. W. LANGAN, Esq., Attorney for Estate, Livermore, Cal.


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Oakland, January 1, 1898.

# HOW OTHERS VIEW THE PARK PROJECT:

## An Editor Discusses the Proposed Improvement and Makes Some Suggestions in Regard to Progress in the City.

The San Francisco Report contained the following editorial yesterday:

"Oakland has finally decided to have a public park. At least, it has decided to vote on a park project, which, in this case, amounts to pretty much the same thing. Oakland has seen San Francisco, San Jose and other near-by cities secure public parks and benefit thereby, but has been content to wait for a public park in the hope that some public spirited citizen would present the city with a park. No such present has been made or even promised, and today, aside from a few little squares, the city of Oakland, occupying the most beautiful city site in the State, lags behind in the march of progress, and so lagging suffers severely in a commercial and financial sense. Instead of getting a large park for a small price, Oakland will now get a small park at the going rates. The beautiful sheet of water known as Lake Merritt, in the very heart of our sister city, should have been dredged, ornamented and bridged thirty years ago, and had this work been done hundreds and possibly thousands of people who settled in Marin, San Mateo and Santa Clara counties, people of means and taste, would have built beautiful homes in Oakland.

"If the park project should fail to carry at the bond election the cause will be largely due to procrastination. The park site is a picturesque tract of sixty acres on the end of Adams Point, and it is proposed to buy this tract for $249,000 and spend $50,000 in improving the same, the bond election also calling for $20,000 to improve the West Oakland Park site and $10,000 to improve Independence Square, East Oakland.

"The movement of Oakland for a public park reminds us that the measures for acquiring the Mission Park and zoo tract in this city are moving ahead nicely. In this case the advantage is wholly with the people, because no price has been fixed for this tract, consisting of 140 acres, the plan adopted contemplating purchase through appraisement and condemnation. Oakland has good cause to regret that it so long delayed securing a public park, because had it gone to work in the right way, ten, fifteen or twenty years ago, it would now have a large and splendid park in an advanced state of cultivation, a park which would not only interest, instruct and entertain Oaklanders, but which would draw people from abroad. We predict that the Adams Point Park will hardly have passed into the possession of the city of Oakland when Oaklanders will begin to talk of buying another and another park and connecting all of them with the Lake Shore Boulevard."

# HOW BARNES MET AN ENEMY IN CAMP

## The Gallant Captain Was Surprised on the Picket Lines.

### Attorney Tubb of Durrant Fame Gives Him a Shock.

### HE THOUGHT HE SAW A GHOST.

### Midnight Experience of the Warrior That Caused Him Some Uneasiness.

Captain William S. Barnes of the Eighth Regiment, California Volunteers, stationed at Camp Barrett went through an experience at the camp a few nights ago that tended to reduce some of his avoirdupois.

Captain Barnes is known both in and out of camp as a courageous soldier and citizen. When his country called for leaders he came to the front as a volunteer ready to battle for his country.

All he asked was a chance to meet the haughty Dons. Whether his destination be Manila, Cuba, Porto Rico, the Ladrones, or any old place where he would get an opportunity to whip a Spaniard, made no difference to him. It was fight that Captain Barnes was seeking as well as a military record to which in after years he could point to with pride and satisfaction.

But Captain Barnes has met an enemy and and went before him in full retreat. The commander of the Petaluma Company did not wait for any explanation, honors of war or anything of that kind. He silently stole away in the darkness, leaving the whole field to his enemy. It must not be inferred, however, that the gallant Captain is a coward. Far from it for he is known as one of the bravest in the Eighth. But when a man who wears a blue ribbon badge in his buttonhole thinks that he sees a ghost at night, he may, under the circumstances, be excused for honorably retreating. That is what happened to Captain Barnes.

PROSECUTION OF DURRANT.

The Captain was and is the District Attorney of San Francisco. By the grace of the Board of Supervisors he has been granted a leave of absence in order to serve in the army. As District Attorney it became the duty of Mr. Barnes to vigorously prosecute Theodore Durrant for the murder of Blanche Lamont. The Captain made a grand record in the case and it was to his perseverance as well as that of Chief Lees and Detective Jack Seymour that the "monster of the belfry" was brought to justice.

During the bitter legal struggle in that famous case a peculiar man known as Attorney Tubb, son of the Rev. Tubb, blossomed out as the personal counsel of Durrant and became the spokesman for the latter in many of his published interviews. Tubb resorted to all sorts of queer subterfuges to make it appear that he was going to win the case for Durrant. Because of his actions he became the bitter enemy of Prosecutor Barnes. No love was lost between the gentlemen. More than once Tubb had suggested that he could never rest until he evened up scores on Barnes. The latter was on the lookout, however, and never took any chances with Tubb. The feeling was very bitter between the men and their friends anticipated trouble. The time for the execution of Durrant was approaching.

THE STRANGE DISAPPEARANCE.

Tubb disappeared. No one knew whither he had gone and his closest friends could not surmise what had become of him. His enemies, however, said that he had gone south to catch the "real" murderer of Blanche Lamont. Theodore Durrant was hung and nothing more was heard of Tubb. He had not evened up his scores with Barnes and the man who became known as "the ghost of the Durrant case" was thought to have died or to have left the country.

"You will be Officer of the Day tomorrow" said Colonel Henshaw to Captain Barnes.

Now Officer of the Day in camp means that the officer is bound to see that the camp is in order; that the men on the guard lines do their duty; that he must hear complaints and settle disputes. He is supposed to go through the camp nearly every hour of the night and see that all is well.

MET HIS ENEMY AT NIGHT.

It was two o'clock in the morning when the heavy-weight Captain started to make his rounds at the camp. The night was as dark as an African jungle after the sun goes down so the captain carried a little old lantern to guide him in his way. When walking down the picket line Barnes was accosted by one of the soldier guards.

"A word with you sir" said the soldier.

"I'm the Officer of the Day" replied Barnes. "What is your wish."

"You do not recognize this voice" suggested the guard.

"Not I sir" answered Barnes rather coldly as he tried to muster up his dignity.

"You will pardon me Officer for intruding myself," said the guard, "but we have met before under different circumstances. Throw up your light and see if you recognize me."

The Captain raised his lantern to the soldier's face but the light was dim and he could not recognize the features.

"Guess you're mistaken" said Barnes.

"I'm Tubb of the Durrant case" announced the soldier.

THOUGHT HE MET A GHOST.

That settled it. The men who had been bitter enemies had met on the picket line in the dead of night but there was no bloodshed. It was just like in the play. However Captain Barnes was not taking any chances. He hurried from the scene commanding the guard to pay strict attention to duty. The next day Captain Barnes made an investigation and ascertained that his old enemy had enlisted as a private and slept but a few tents away from Barnes' quarters. The matter was brought to the attention of Colonel Henshaw and measures were suggested to have Tubb mustered out of the service.

WOULD NOT TACKLE A GHOST.

"I was never more surprised in my life than when I met Tubb in the dead of night" said Barnes. "Such a peculiar feeling came over me. I felt as though I had run up against something spiritual. What if it should be a ghost was my thought. When I found that it was the mortal Tubb I was somewhat relieved. Of course if it came to a fight. I felt that I would rather meet the real man than his ghost. However I did not care to take any chances with either the real or the spiritual man. I had been informed that Tubb had once been treated at an asylum for brain trouble and I did not care to take any chances with him. It seemed to me that the easiest way out of the trouble was the best so I pursued that course until I got well in retreat.

"It certainly was a very remarkable experience for I was of the opinion that Tubb was dead. I am not looking for any more ghosts of the Durrant case in guard lines in camp. I'm willing enough to fight a whole regiment of Spaniards but I don't want to meet a ghost or anything that gives me the impression of a ghost.

"Since that strange occurrence on the guard line I have never met Tubb face to face. I am told, however, that he occupies quarters near my tent."

### Granges Will Meet.

There will be a meeting of local granges in this city to-morrow evening to make arrangements for the State Grange which will meet in this city on October 4th. W. W. Greer of Sacramento, Master of the State Grange, will be present at this preliminary meeting, besides members from the following granges: Temescal Grange, Eden Grange of Haywards, Alhambra Grange of Martinez, and the Danville Grange.

# BRECKENRIDGE INVESTIGATING CAMP THOMAS.

## The General Says the Guilty Shall Be Punished.

CHICKAMAUGA, Sept. 2.—General Grant, in command of the Third Army Corps, accompanied by his staff, left this morning for Anniston, Ala. The Corps' headquarters force, division headquarters force and ambulance corps all left for Anniston.

To-morrow the headquarters of the Third and Second Brigades and the Fourteenth New York go. Other movements will be made on Sunday. The Third Brigade headquarters and the Third Tennessee will go Monday.

General Breckenridge has determined to learn the full truth about the hospital situation at Camp Thomas, and has begun a vigorous investigation. A committee apointed by him is now at work investigating the Second Division, Third Corps, Hospital, against which numerous complaints have been made. Soldiers who have had hospital service and others who have had insight into its working are being examined.

Discussing the investigation, General Breckenridge said he intends to see that every point is thoroughly aired, and if it is proved that any persons are guilty of neglect and mismanagement the blame will be placed on their shoulders and they will be punished accordingly.

Six prominent Chattanoogans, four of them leading physicians, have prepared charges against Major Hubbard, Surgeon General of the Ninth New York. They charge him with being responsible for the death of Sergeant Frank, who was struck by a train a few days ago, and with conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. It is claimed that Major Hubbard caused the removal of Sergeant Frank when his life might have been saved by keeping him quiet, and that when other physicians expostulated with him he used language unbecoming a gentleman and an officer.

A court marital is demanded.

## CANADIAN SHIP YARDS DESTROYED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

TORONTO, Sept. 2.—The Bertram ship yards were destroyed by fire early this morning. The steamer City of Toronto, in the final stages of construction by the Bertram Company, was saved with great difficulty. The loss is placed at about $70,000. George Bertram is president of the company, which employes over 200 men.

# CLERGYMEN HONOR THE REV. P. C. YORKE.

## The Chancellor Presented With an Address Commending His Work on Behalf of the People of His Faith.

The clergy of the Catholic archdiocese presented an illuminated address to the Rev. Peter C. Yorke. The presentation took place in the basement of St. Mary's Cathedral yesterday. The Rev. Father McSweeney of this city was prominent in the affair. The address was as follows:

"The history of the past two or three years in the stirring events of which you played so conspicuous a part, makes a very interesting chapter in the annals of our State. Under the specious guise of patriotism, men who were strangers to the true spirit of freedom secretly banded themselves together with the avowed purpose of depriving their Catholic fellow citizens of the rights and privileges guaranteed to them under the Constitutions of the States and nation. They made lies their refuge, and under falsehood did they hide themselves;' and by unclean villification and reckless mendacity succeeded in superinducing a religious contention which for a time threatened to disrupt the foundations of civil society, and to make the church of Christ an alien and an outcast in a land to which it was the first to bring the glad Gospel tidings, and where, at peace with all, it had lived and flourished as a bay tree by the running water.

"Catholics were bewildered. The weaker brethren among them advocated prayer and patience. They considered it unwise and unchristian to oppose the campaign of falsehood by a campaign of truth. They bethought them of the sweet humility of the early martyrs, but seemed to forget the heroic courage of the great Christian apologists. Their paths were peace and their advice was to abide patiently till the storm had passed away; but the storm showed no sign of passing. Every day saw it increase in force and fury. Every day from press and platform, by secret insinuation and public proclamation, Catholics were accused of the grossest crimes against God and man, till the minds of even honest and truth-loving men were being affected by incessant and uncontradicted mis-statement. Disagreeable and hateful as religious controversy for the most part is, it became imperatively necessary that the truth should be spoken. How distasteful soever it might be to the individual, the good name of the church and the interests of the whole Catholic people demanded this. The time had come to speak, and the man. You, Reverend Father, took up the gage of battle and entered the lists against the defamers of our faith.

"There is no need to tell how bravely and skillfully you conducted the controversy, nor to speak of those high intellectual gifts which have compelled the reverential fear of the illiterate bigot, and won you the respect of all who are willing to appreciate true genius. The story of our long and successful struggle is written on every Catholic heart in the community, and your name is held in grateful and prayerful remembrance in every Catholic home in the land.

"We, the pastors of this archdiocese of San Francisco, beg you to accept the assurance of our esteem and love. We rejoice at the fame which is rightly yours, and we are proud of the high place which your talents have earned for you in the public estimation.

"We heartily approve of and indorse your whole course of action in the battle for religious freedom. We thank you for the untold good which you have done for our people and for us. And we pray that God will give you length of days and strength to labor successfully amongst us for the welfare of His church and the glory of His name.

"Signed on behalf of the committee:

"P. R. LYNCH, St. James', Chairman,
"T. McSWEENEY, St. Francis de Sales, Secretary."

In the company were the following clergymen: Very Rev. J. J. Prendergast, St. Mary's Cathedral; P. S. Casey, St. Peter's; P. R. Lynch, St. James; J. F. Nugent, St. Brendan's; M. D. Connolly, St. Paul's P. J. Cummins, St. Charles; J. E. Cottle, St. Brigid's; J. F. McGinty, Holy Cross; P. O'Connell, St. Teresa's; William Kirby, St. Agnes'; P. D. Brady, St. John's Father Otis, C. S. P., old St. Mary's; D. O. Crowley, Youth's Directory; Very Rev. Father Freiden, S. J., St. Ignatius'; Very Rev. Plus Murphy, O. P., St. Dominic's; J. Flood, Sacred Heart; D. O'Sullivan, All Hallows; D. Nugent, St. Rose's; J. McDonald, St. Peter's; T. McSweeney, M. King, J. B. McNally, Oakland; P. Foley, Alameda; A. Serda, Temescal; T. Phillips, Berkeley; H. Lagan, San Rafael;; J. Cleary, Petaluma; T. Power, Livermore;; J. Rogers, Tomales; Father Nevin, Lockford; J. Byrne, Novato; T. Callaghan, San Mateo; M. O. Riordan, Menlo Park; J. Gannon, Rio Vista; B. McKinnon, Suisun; J. Cassin, Santa Rosa;; Very Rev. Father Riordan, S. J., Santa Clara College; P. Maguire, San Jose; William O'Connor, Stockton; P. Blake St. Helena; M. McNamara, Merced; M. Duggan, O. P., Vallejo; M. Slattery, Napa; Father Quill, Sonoma.

## WOMAN'S CLUB IS MAKING PROGRESS.

### Oakland Organizations Invited to Assist in Making Their Benefit a Success.

At a recent business meeting in San Francisco the Woman's Professional and University Club decided to invite the men's clubs of San Francisco and the women's clubs in good standing, as well as the Ebell Society of Oakland and Town and Gown of Berkeley, to co-operate with them in making their benefit at the Alhambra Theater in San Francisco on the 14th of September a grand success. It was decided, therefore, by the club, to send to each and every one of these brother and sister clubs a brief statement of the organization and purposes of the new club, at the same time asking each club to be represented at the benefit.

A number of clubs have graciously replied to the invitation and have promised most hearty co-operation. The Press Club of San Francisco, which since the organization of the Woman's Professional and University Club, has shown this Club many courtesies, in a courteous letter acknowledged the receipt of their invitation, and stated that it would on the night of the benefit occupy a box at the theater.


Substitution
the fraud of the day.
See you get Carter's,
Ask for Carter's,
Insist and demand
Carter's Little Liver Pills.


# JAPAN GRINS AT THE CZAR'S CIRCULAR.

## Believes the Peace Note Was Dictated by Financial Distress.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 2.—An agitation is growing out of the purchase by the State of four trunk railroads, and reports are revived that the government intends to raise a foreign loan of $80,000,000 in order to complete public works.

Little importance is attached here to the Czar's peace note, as it is believed to have been dictated by financial distress.

# WOUNDED HEROES HOME ONCE MORE.

## Back Again to the Hearts That Love Them.

Back again to the hearts that have anxiously, tearfully, prayerfully waited and watched for their return, come our wounded, shattered heroes; back from the deadly charge and withering trenches of Santiago; to clean, sweet cots, and tender nursing, and that dearest of all rewards, the precious kisses of mother, wife and children!

Where these dear ones abide there is the home and haven of mankind. However men may wander as glory or ambition calls them, whatever prizes they may seek throughout the length and breadth of the great, struggling, fighting, dazzling world—the thoughts and hopes of truest manhood forever turn back to the place where wife and children are. Here is the goal of all endeavor and the center of existence.

WHAT WIFE AND CHILDREN MEAN TO EVERY MAN.

Men of every class and condition in life look to their wives and children as the unfailing source of inspiration and cheerfulness. A wounded soldier, home from the front, is hardly more dependent upon his tender comfort and good cheer than is the average man who works all day at his desk, or in the shop, or field.

A husband expects his wife to be the brightener of his home; to lighten his discouragements, smooth away his wrinkles, and smile away his frowns, just as much as the wounded soldier returning from the field expects to be greeted with loving caresses. Whether right or wrong to expect so much attention and petting, the average husband does expect it and without it becomes a disappointed man.

A WIFE'S PROBLEM.

But how is a woman who is burdened with household work and care, and with the constant draft upon her strength that comes with frequent

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motherhood, to fulfill her whole wifely duty? How can the ordinary woman struggling with the ordinary conditions of this work-a-day world, be the ideal housekeeper, wife and mother all at once?

This is the greatest problem with which the women of America have to deal; and when the question has to be worked out in the face of constant physical weakness and suffering, no wonder so many thousand of women feel that the demands of life are greater than they can meet, and heavier than they can possibly endure. No wonder they live for weeks and months plunged in the depths of wretchedness and despondency.

A woman who suffers inwardly from some feminine weakness, or disease, is in a certain sense almost alone in her trouble; her husband cannot half appreciate her suffering, no matter how kind-hearted he may be. She hates to be complaining all the time. Often she herself may not realize exactly what the trouble is; and if the local doctor is called in, he will not once in a dozen times diagnose the trouble correctly.

DODGING THE QUESTION.

"O your liver needs a little toning up," he will say; or "Your stomach is out of kelter." Perhaps he will call it "heart trouble" or "nervousness" and give the usual stereotyped treatment that is of no more avail than so much water; while all the time the real trouble, the undermining weakness in the organism distinctly feminine, is draining and torturing the victim's life away unchecked.

After all the poor unhappy woman is almost glad that the doctor, in his easy-going fashion, fails to suggest where the actual trouble lies; for well she knows that the next step would be the detestable examinations and local applications which modest women hold in such repugnance.

THE REAL ANSWER.

It is to countless thousands of women in just this dire extremity of suffering that the knowledge of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—a remedy which cures these troubles scientifically, completely and in the privacy of one's home without resort to these hated and mortifying methods—has come like a message of mercy from a better world.

"I was tired and sick all the time," says Mrs. O. S. Adams, of Fargo, Cass Co., N. Dak. "I had female weakness very badly, so I had to be in bed part of the time. I could not do my housework; I had fainting spells, nervous headache, backache, and pain in my left side when I would lie down. I had pains and aches all over. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and had not taken two bottles when I was able to be around again and to do my work, with no pain. I have taken five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, two of his 'Compound Extract of Smart-Weed,' and several vials of his 'Pleasant Pellets.' I am feeling better than I have for a great many years. I think Dr. Pierce's medicines are the greatest in the world. I write these few lines hoping that some other suffering woman will try them as I did."

"I was taken sick two years ago and tried almost everything but could get no help," writes Mrs. T. C. Blashfield, of Brimfield, Hampden Co., Mass. "Your 'Favorite Prescription' did me a great deal of good. I was suffering with falling of the womb and could scarcely walk; now I am so much better that I can walk quite a distance. It was your medicine that helped me. You have my best wishes and thanks, and may God be with you to do all the good for the poor, suffering people that you can. If I hear of anybody sick I will recommend them to write to you, and I will tell what you have done for me."

AN UNPARALLELED HISTORY.

There has never been, in the entire history of medicine, any other remedy which exerted so direct and powerful a beneficial influence upon the special, feminine structure as this superb "Prescription." It is designed for a singleness of purpose. Its originator, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has devoted a life-time to the study and treatment of the various diseases peculiar to women. No physician living has a wider, practical experience in this field of medical practice. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the outgrowth of this valuable experience.

Suffering women may feel every confidence that in consulting him by mail they are placing their case before one whose long years of experience have endowed him with the completest appreciation of their sufferings. Every letter received by him is answered promptly and earnestly with sound, sensible, fatherly professional advice, which will enable a woman, in almost every instance, by simple and inexpensive self-treatment in the privacy of the home and without a physician, to effect a complete and permanent cure.

WITHOUT MONEY AND WITHOUT PRICE.

No charge whatever is made for this advice, and any woman who encloses 21 one-cent stamps to pay the mere cost of mailing Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page, illustrated book, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, will receive a free copy of that magnificent work in paper covers; or for 31 stamps a heavier, handsomer, cloth-bound copy will be sent. Address the Doctor as above. One chapter of nearly a hundred pages of this grand volume is devoted to the consideration of diseases of women and relates the history of many severe and dangerous cases which were completely cured by Dr. Pierce's simple and scientific methods.

TRUE GRATITUDE.

"I would like to express my gratitude to you for the benefit I have received from your wonderful 'Favorite Prescription,'" writes Mrs. H. C. Anderson, of South Britain, New Haven Co., Conn. "During the first month of the period preceding my baby's coming, I could not keep anything on my stomach. I was so sick that I had to go to bed and stay for weeks. I tried different doctors, but with little benefit. I read about many being helped by using your medicine, so I thought I would give it a trial. I began to take 'Favorite Prescription' in November, and I had a nice baby girl in February following. My baby weighed over eight pounds. I was only in labor about one hour and got along nicely during confinement; was up and dressed on the eighth day. The 'Favorite Prescription' helped me wonderfully. It kept me from having a miscarriage. This makes my second child; with the first one I did not take 'Favorite Prescription,' and I had a miscarriage. But this baby is as plump and healthy as any mother could wish."

A PURELY TEMPERANCE MEDICINE.

No alcohol nor opium, nor any of their products, is found in this matchless "Prescription." Many of the so-called "tonics," "sarsaparillas," and "compounds" now on the market contain some dangerous narcotic, or so large a percentage of alcohol that their persistent use is almost certain to induce a morbid craving for stimulants. The "Favorite Prescription" will make no bad habits. It is a temperance medicine, pure and simple.

It cleanses, heals and strengthens the special feminine organism; cures all unhealthy and disagreeable drains and structural weakness and displacements of internal organs; heals ulcerations; often dissipates growing tumors; imparts genuine, permanent tone and vital force to the nerve centers and the entire nervous system. It is the perfect medicine for every critical period of womanly development—for debilitated young girls on the threshold of womanhood; for young wives, and particularly for expectant mothers. It gives that mental and physical vitality and recuperative power which renders the ordeal of motherhood absolutely safe and comparatively free from pain, and promotes the thorough constitutional health of mother and child.

WHAT AN IOWA MOTHER SAYS.

"Two years ago I used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. Alfred Clark, of Hiteman, Monroe Co., Iowa, "and the result was a fine baby girl of eleven or twelve pounds. I am about to become a mother again, and I have been troubled with morning sickness and vomiting; I could not eat any breakfast, but two days ago I began taking your 'Favorite Prescription' twice a day, a teaspoonful at a time, and I am pleased to say that I have not had a vomiting spell for two mornings, and I had not been free from these for four months.

"I can eat a hearty breakfast with the rest of the family, and even have to go to the cupboard between meals, a thing I never did before in my life. My husband is surprised at the change in me. I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Pierce's medicines. It would be a blessing if more poor, broken-down women knew of the 'Favorite Prescription.' It would save them hours of misery. I would write more about my suffering but I don't need to now, for all my aches and pains have gone."

GAINED SIXTY POUNDS.

"I had female trouble for eight years," writes Mrs. L. J. Dennis, of 828 College St., Jacksonville, Ills. "For three years I suffered continually. Words cannot express what I suffered. I sought relief among the medical profession and found none, until induced by kind friends to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. When I commenced taking this medicine I weighed ninety-five pounds. After taking 'Favorite Prescription' I was built up until now I weigh one hundred and fifty-six pounds—more than I ever weighed before.

"I was so bad that I would lie from day to day and long for death to come and relieve my suffering. I had internal inflammation, a disagreeable drain, bearing-down pains in the lower part of my bowels, and such distress every month, but now I never have a pain. I do all my own work, and am a strong and healthy woman. Thanks to your medicine. I consider myself a living testimonial of its benefits."

DO NOT BE DECEIVED.

Although every reputable dealer in medicines and many general stores, especially in country districts, mining camps, as well as in larger towns and cities, are supplied with this great "Prescription," and if not can certainly and promptly obtain it for you if you insist upon it, there are some who will not hesitate to show their contempt for your judgment by attempting to foist a substitute upon you for purposes of their own. It's an insult to your intelligence for a dealer to attempt to palm off upon you a substitute for this world-famed medicine. You know what you want. It's his business to meet that want. When he urges some substitute, he's thinking of the larger profit he'll make—not of your welfare. "Favorite Prescription" affords dealers fair profits, and self-respecting purchasers should turn their backs on any dealer who offers them such treatment.

# GIGANTIC COAL MINERS' STRIKE IS IMPENDING.

## Hanna's Manager Says Wages Will Be Reduced.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 2.—In an interview Manager Young of the M. A. Hanna Coal Company is reported as saying:

"In the early part of next year we will have one of the greatest coal strikes this country has ever seen. All indications are that the strike will last many months.

"The miners stand at all times ready to fight against a reduction of wages. When the Chicago contract expires, or possibly before that time, they will be obliged to accept a reduction of 15 or 16 cents per ton or fight. I think they will fight, and will fight harder than ever before.

"The West Virginia mines are working cheaper than ever before. All efforts on the part of the other miners to organize them have been in vain. There is no hope that they will be brought into line."

# IRON AND STEEL TRADE BOOMING.

## Despite the Big Raise in Prices the Demand Is Enormous.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Iron and Steel will say tomorrow:

The advance of from $1 to $3 per ton which has been made on almost all kinds of iron and steel products, has not in any respect checked the volume of business. On the contrary, the activity is greater than ever.

Without exception, all branches of the iron and steel industries are in a most satisfactory condition. Mills are declining business because they cannot make deliveries. Railroads are ordering whatever lots of rails they can secure for this season's delivery and are heavy buyers of machinery and tools.


# FOUND IN A VALISE.

A customer advised us that he had found $2.50 in a valise which we sent him a few days ago. When we sounded him further he said that the valise was exactly what his neighbor paid and what he had been asked $5.50 for, but we had sold at $3, hence the find of $2.50. We did not ask him to return it. Go thou and do likewise. We have too many things to carry things in all the way of from 40 cents to $5 each. Will you help us, and find as good a bargain as the one mentioned?

## FOUND BARGAINS.

Crisp Army Biscuits, in cartoons.....8c
Fresh Soup Biscuits, 10-cent packages..5c
Klondike Pumpernickel, 10-cent kind....3c
Mince Meat, 10-cent packages, today....5c
Six-pound box of fine Starch.....15c
Queen's Taste Vercelli, 25-cent box.....15c
Gold Label Soda, purest made, 10c-size. 5c
High-grade Baking Powder, ½ lb.....10c
Heavy Sweet Bacon, sugar cured.....7½c
Table Fruit, 1 gallons, few '97 left.....25c
Tapioca or Sago, finest importations.... 4c
Toilet Soap, White Castile, cakes..... 2c
Fancy Box Stoves for halls, 36-inch....$5.00
Folding Stoves for Klondike or camps, .....$1.50
Lawn Mowers, $10 kind, closing.....$1.85
Cream Freezers, family size, few left.$1.00
Jelly glasses, family size, tin cover..... 2c
Fire Kindlers, 10c, asbestos..... 1c
Syphon Filter, reduced to.....75c
Wood Pails, 20c kind.....12c
Wash Boards, 25c kind, now.....12c
Market Baskets, splint, low as..... 5c
Knife and Fork Baskets, 20c kind..... 5c
Hendle Basket, 5c; Lunch Baskets.....10c

## FOUND OTHER BARGAINS.

Men's $2 Hats on bargain table.....75c
Girls' $2 Trimmed Hats, bargain table..50c
Ladies' 25c Untrimmed Hats at.....10c
California $5 Wool Blankets.....$2.50
Cotton Blankets, silver gray, now.....30c
Twine Bags, to carry things.....15c
Boys' Waists, closing, sizes 8 and 13....16c
Prince Albert Coat and Vest, worth $20..$8
Men's Working Gloves, leather.....25c
Ladies' Working Gloves, 7¾, extra.....25c
Bicycle and Golf Hose, $1, long.....50c
Men's Bicycle Suits, 36s, $6 kind.....$2
Men's Wool Underwear, light weight...75c
Men's Button Shoes, 5½ to 7½, $3.50 kind.....85c
Men's Sunday Shoes, sizes 9½, 10, 10½..$1.25
Ladies' Felt Shoes, high cut, 2½, 3.....50c
Infants' Colored Shoes, 1, 2, 3 and 4, now.....25c
Ladies' Fine Handkerchiefs, 10c kind... 3c
Gold Ring you pay $2 for.....50c
Gold Watches, ladies', today.....$3.50
Large U. S. Flags, $6 kind.....$1.75
U. S. Bunting, today, per yard..... 3c
Wool Stocking Yarn, $1 kind, odd colors.....50c
Zephyr, all colors, bought early, 7 for..25c

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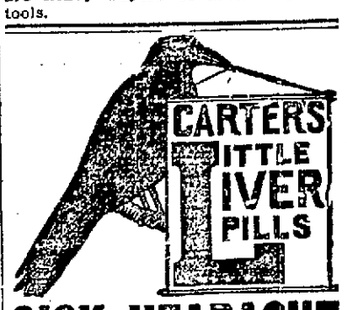


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